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UP TRAINS											
STATIONS	No. 1	No. 2	No. 3	No. 4	No. 5	No. 6	No. 7	No. 8	No. 9	No. 10	No. 11
Kowloon Dep.	6.40	8.05	8.30	9.05	9.35	10.00	10.30	1.15	1.45	2.15	2.45
Yau Ma Tei Dep.	6.48	8.13	8.38	9.13	9.43	10.13	10.43	1.18	1.48	2.18	2.48
Shatin Dep.	7.01	8.26	8.51	9.26	9.56	10.26	10.56	1.21	1.51	2.21	2.51
Tai Po Dep.	7.15	8.40	9.05	9.40	10.10	10.40	11.10	1.24	1.54	2.24	2.54
Market Dep.	7.30	8.55	9.20	9.55	10.25	10.55	11.25	1.27	1.57	2.27	2.57
Fanning Dep.	7.40	9.05	9.30	10.05	10.35	11.05	11.35	1.29	1.59	2.29	2.59
Shau Kei Wan Dep.	7.50	9.15	9.40	10.15	10.45	11.15	11.45	1.31	2.01	2.31	3.01
Shau Kei Wan Arr.	7.55	9.20	9.45	10.20	10.50	11.20	11.50	1.33	2.03	2.33	3.03
Canton Arr.	12.40	1.45	2.10	2.45	3.15	3.45	4.15	4.45	5.15	5.45	6.15

DOWN TRAINS											
STATIONS	No. 12	No. 13	No. 14	No. 15	No. 16	No. 17	No. 18	No. 19	No. 20	No. 21	No. 22
Canton Dep.	8.00	9.00	10.00	11.00	12.00	1.00	2.00	3.00	4.00	5.00	6.00
Shau Kei Wan Dep.	8.10	9.10	10.10	11.10	12.10	1.10	2.10	3.10	4.10	5.10	6.10
Shau Kei Wan Arr.	8.15	9.15	10.15	11.15	12.15	1.15	2.15	3.15	4.15	5.15	6.15
Fanning Dep.	8.25	9.25	10.25	11.25	12.25	1.25	2.25	3.25	4.25	5.25	6.25
Market Dep.	8.40	9.40	10.40	11.40	12.40	1.40	2.40	3.40	4.40	5.40	6.40
Tai Po Dep.	8.55	9.55	10.55	11.55	12.55	1.55	2.55	3.55	4.55	5.55	6.55
Shatin Dep.	9.10	10.10	11.10	12.10	1.10	2.10	3.10	4.10	5.10	6.10	7.10
Yau Ma Tei Dep.	9.25	10.25	11.25	12.25	1.25	2.25	3.25	4.25	5.25	6.25	7.25
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## ANGLO-AMERICAN ARBITRATION.

### YEAR'S DELAY IN NEGOTIATION.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 21st.  
The United Press to-day learned that the State Department, after some delay over a year's delay since the opening of negotiations, has requested Great Britain to take immediate action regarding a new arbitration treaty.  
Notes have been exchanged during the course of the past week.  
The United States took the initiative in attempting to speed up the negotiations, and inquired as to the reasons for delay. It is understood that impatience was made manifest.  
Great Britain's reply did not explain the delay, except to say that the Foreign Office had not received reports as yet from all the Dominions.  
It is understood that Great Britain desires an additional reservation. The pact as drafted contains four exceptions from arbitration, namely: Domestic questions, matters involving the rights of third parties, questions involving the Monroe Doctrine, and matters in which the League of Nations is affected or has jurisdiction.  
It is the understanding of State Department authorities that Great Britain desires to exempt the "British Monroe Doctrine" from the realm of arbitration matters. This appears to have been made plain by Sir Austen Chamberlain, British Secretary for Foreign Affairs, through his explanation during the Anti-War Treaty negotiations. At that time, Sir Austen warned that the pact must not be permitted to prejudice British freedom of action in certain regions of the world. The integrity of these regions constitute a vital interest for British peace and safety, the Secretary said.  
A similar delay exists with reference to negotiations with Japan, although it is considered that this has been satisfactorily explained by the preparations for the approaching coronation of the Emperor Hirohito, as well as by the recent change of Japanese Ambassadors to Washington which resulted in arrival last week of Ambassador K. Dohchi.  
The United States is expected here long to have a series of conversations between State Department authorities and the British and Japanese Ambassadors in this connection.

## GIRL WHO MAY BE ANOTHER MELBA.

### SHOP ASSISTANT WITH A GOLDEN VOICE.

A girl of twenty-one, who may develop into another Melba, has been discovered. She has been accepted as a pupil by the Royal Academy of Music, and before her there is a vista that may lead her by way of Italy and France to the height of her ambition, the operatic stage.  
She is Miss Elsie Davies, until recently a shop girl at Ebbw Vale, South Wales, and her discovery arose out of a tragedy. Her father took a choir to America, and returning in the Lusitania was lost when the ship met with disaster.  
Elsie Davies, then about eight years of age, became a beneficiary of the Lusitania Disaster Fund. The fund committee, recently had her voice tested by Dr. Goss Custard, of Liverpool Cathedral, who predicted that, given proper training, she had a great singing career before her.  
Miss Davies then took up a post in a music store in Dartford, coming to London three times a week for lessons, but now the fund has enabled her to live in London and devote herself to her art.  
A Press representative heard Miss Davies sing in the little room she rents off Ludbrook-grove. First of all Mozart's "Batti, batti" from Don Giovanni, and then "O Leggere, Rondelle" from Gounod's "Mireille". The golden voice filled the room with its liquid notes. She sings as a bird sings because she is young, and life in spite of sorrow—is good.  
She has a charming manner of mingled shyness and friendliness, but her eyes light up when she sings, and again when she speaks of her music.

## ANGELL ESTATE MYSTERY.

### VICAR AND A CHURCH REGISTER ENTRY.

An interesting discovery which may have some connection with the claims to the £30,000,000 Angell estate in South London, has been made in the register of the little village church at Stokenham, near Tiverton, South Devon.  
60 Square Miles.  
The Angell estate comprises an extensive area of property in South London, and the annual rent-roll is said to be £1,000,000. It was left by Mr. John Angell, who died in 1784.  
An entry has been found at the bottom of a right-hand page of the register as follows:—  
May 18th, 1873. Baptised Mary, daughter of Justinian Angell, and his wife Elizabeth.  
Vicar's Statement.  
On the left hand page opposite the entry, however, is a declaration signed by the vicar, the Rev. Alister Davys, and attested by the two churchwardens that the entry was not seen by them when the vicar inspected the register in March, 1925.  
The vicar has also stated his opinion that the entry, which is in old brown ink similar in appearance to the ink used in the seventeenth century, was made with a steel pen and not a quill as would have been used in those days.  
There are many claimants to the Angell estate. The best known claimant is Mr. William Adrian Allery, of Larkhall-rise, Clapham, S.W., who is eighty-three years of age.  
Steel Or Quill Pen?  
When informed of the Stokenham discovery Mr. Allery smiled and said his solicitors were in possession of all the information. He expressed his firm conviction that the entry was a genuine one. "How can any one say," he asked, "that a written entry was made with a steel pen and not a quill?"  
He explained that, according to his claim, the Mary whose baptism is recorded at Stokenham was the mother of Elizabeth Benedict, who was married to Samuel Allery, of Townshill Church, Dartmouth. Mr. Allery found the certificate of this marriage in St. Saviour's Church, Dartmouth, when he discovered some loose leaves from another church register.  
If the entry in the Stokenham register were not genuine, Mr. Allery said, it would, of course, damage his claim to the estate. "The question of genuineness," he added, "will have to be settled by the court."

## THE FIRST "MOSS" MUSIC HALL.

### ALBERT DE COURVILLE'S REVELATIONS.

Stories of the Empress Eugenie, the Queen of Spain, and other notabilities are recounted by Mr. Albert de Courville, the theatrical producer, in his frank autobiography, "I Tell You" published in London recently.  
Here is one about Sir Edward Moss, the great music-hall proprietor:—  
"He told me how he started. He read an advertisement in a newspaper in Edinburgh one day. It said that a certain man, living some miles out of the city, would give away a piano to the first person who called for it.  
"Of course, he told me, everybody thought this was some joke. He felt, however, that he had nothing to risk, and therefore took a barrow and called at the house for the piano. To his delight he found that the advertiser was quite serious.  
"The man who owned the house was so tormented by people playing the instrument that he wanted to be rid of it.  
"Moss put the piano on the barrow, took it back to Edinburgh, where he took a little hall; set down at the piano himself, and had one or two artists come in and sing songs. This was the first music hall, as Moss created it. He had within a short time promoted a number of music halls.  
"He started the twice-nightly system, and eventually the great circuit, known as Moss' Empire, was created.  
"Once, when Mr. de Courville was on holiday at Deauville, he was playing bassoon, and won £20,000 in a single night. He opened the bank with a minimum of £500, and, when he retired from the tables with his winnings, he looked through the cards still in the "shoe" and found that, if he had kept on for another three coups, he would have won a further £120,000."

## DIARY OF EVENTS.

**To-day.**  
(November 5th.)  
Shanghai Races.  
Sale of Crown Land New Kowloon Inland Lots 1172 and 1174, and Inland Lot No. 2945, 3 p.m.  
Lecture: Helena May Institute "Le Souvenir chez trois poètes français," M. de la Prade, 5.30 p.m.  
Billiards League: K.O.S.B. v. Queen's Dockyard v. Land Police, Royal Artillery v. R.E. and R.C. Garrison Mess v. Warders.  
Queen's Theatre: "Fashions for Women."  
World Theatre: "The Fair Co-ed."  
Star Theatre: "Wolf's Clothing."  
Tea Dances: H.K. Hotel, 4.30 p.m.; King Edward Hotel, 5 p.m.; Dinner Dance: St. Francis Hotel, 8 p.m.  
Principal Mails:—Outward: Europe via San Francisco (Pres. Teft), 5 p.m.; Europe via Siberia (Pres. Teft), 6 p.m.  
**Tuesday.**  
(November 6th.)  
Shanghai Races.  
Hockey: Y.M.C.A. 1st XI. v. Keble.  
Queen's Theatre: "Semorita."  
World Theatre: "The Telephone Girl."  
Star Theatre: "Paths to Paradise" (2.30-8.30 only) at 9.15. Jack Carter's "Serenaders."  
Tea Dance: H.K. Hotel, 4.30 p.m.; Dinner Dances: King Edward Hotel, 8 p.m.; St. Francis Hotel, 8 p.m.  
Principal Mails:—Outward: Europe via Marseilles (General Metinger), 2.30 p.m.  
**Wednesday.**  
(November 7th.)  
Shanghai Races.  
Whist Drive Seamen's Institute. Licensing Board Meeting, noon.  
Sale of Work: Helena May Institute, 3 p.m.  
Opening of New Club, Chinese Coy., Police Reserve.  
Schubert Centenary Recital, Mr. H. Ore, City Hall, 5.30 p.m.  
Queen's Theatre: "Drums of Love."  
World Theatre: "The Telephone Girl."  
Star Theatre: "Paths to Paradise" (2.30-8.30 only) at 9.15. Jack Carter's "Serenaders."  
Tea Dances: H.K. Hotel, 4.30 p.m.; King Edward Hotel, 5 p.m.; Dinner Dance: St. Francis Hotel, 8 p.m.  
Principal Mails:—Outward: Europe via Vancouver and Europe via Siberia (Empress of Asia), 10.30 a.m.  
**Thursday.**  
(November 8th.)  
Helena May Concert (Chamber Music), 5.30.  
Hockey: Y.M.C.A. 2nd v. St. Andrew's Y.M. Club.  
Tea Dance: H.K. Hotel, 4 p.m.; Dinner Dance: St. Francis Hotel, 8 p.m.  
Queen's Theatre: "Drums of Love."  
World Theatre: "The Black Pirate."  
Star Theatre: "A Little Journey," (2.30 to 8.30). 9.15 Jack Carter's "Serenaders."  
Principal Mails:—Inward: Europe via Suez (Malwa).  
**Friday.**  
(November 9th.)  
Christian Fellowship Meeting, Helena May Institute, 10.30 a.m.  
5 p.m. K.O.S.B. Band Concert, Botanic Gardens.  
Queen's Theatre: "Drums of Love."  
World Theatre: "The Black Pirate."  
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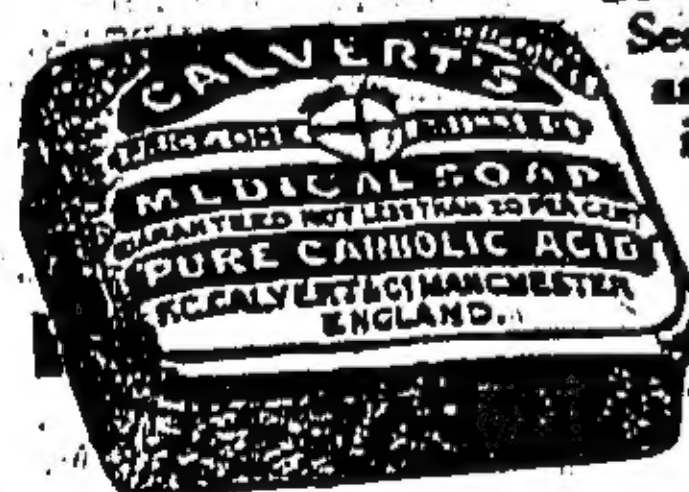
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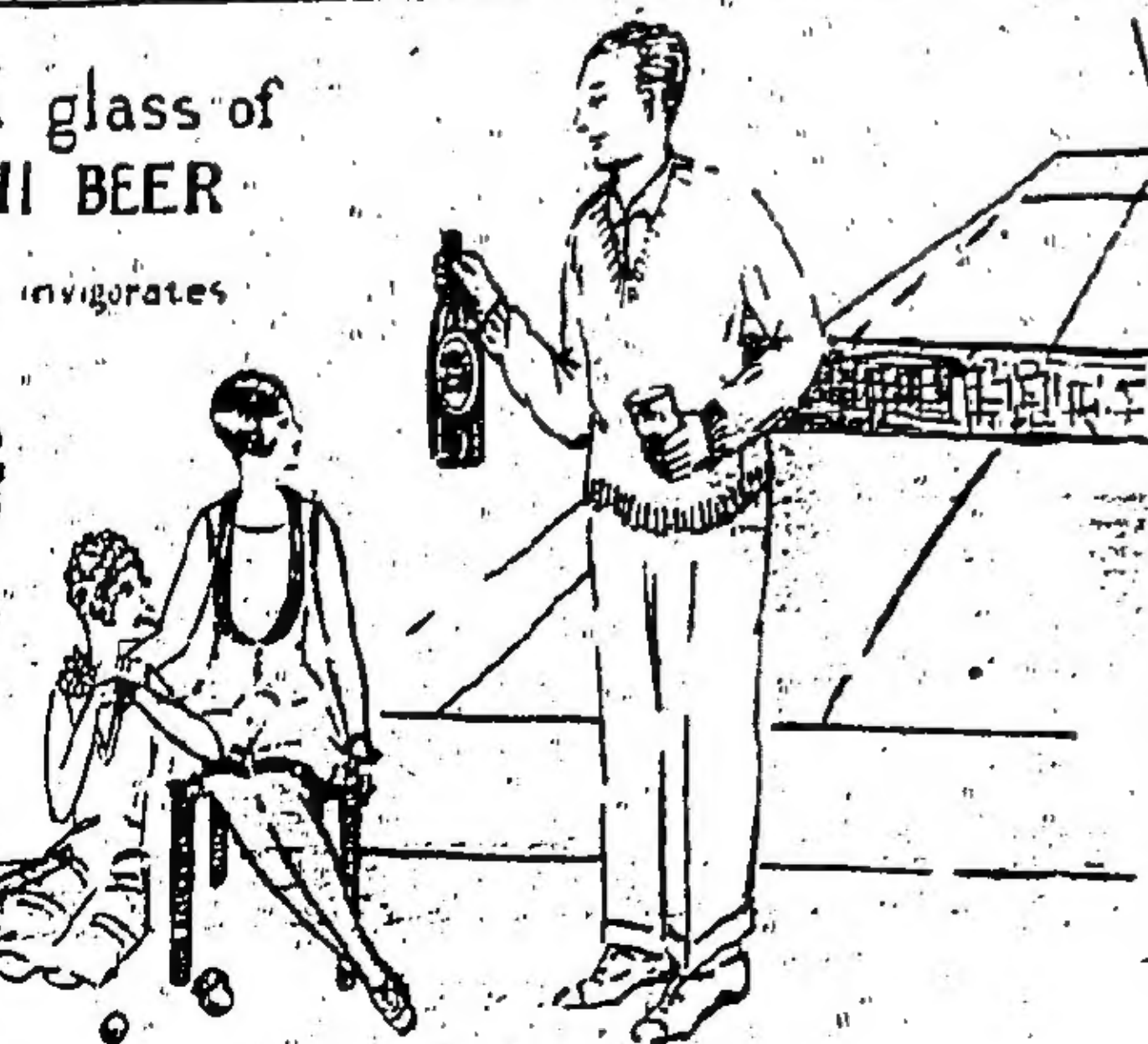
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## Money and Markets

### UNCLAIMED BALANCES.

#### TRANSFERS TO THE TREASURY.

#### PROPOSED CHANGES IN THE ORDINANCE.

At the next meeting of the Legislative Council it is proposed to introduce an ordinance to consolidate and amend the law with respect to unclaimed balances. The objects and reasons of the new measure, which will take the place of the Unclaimed Balances Ordinance of 1885, state:—

1.—The Unclaimed Balances Ordinance, 1885, provided for the transfer to the general revenue of the Colony of the following:—

(a) All sums of money, which, at the passing of the Ordinance, had remained unclaimed in the Treasury for a period of at least five years.

(b) All sums of money, other than balances of an intestate estate, which after the passing of the Ordinance should remain unclaimed in the Treasury for at least five years: for this an order under the hand of the Governor was required.

(c) Under certain conditions, funds of an intestate estate.

(d) Under certain conditions, sums of money, other than balances from an intestate estate, which remained unclaimed in the Supreme Court.

2.—To enable sums under class C (the balances of intestate estates) to be transferred certain conditions were necessary:—

(a) Administration must have been undertaken by the official administrator or the property of the deceased taken possession of by him.

(b) The next of kin must be unknown to him.

(c) Where the funds amounted to \$20 or upwards (see Ordinance 1 of 1885, s. 4) advertisement must have been published in the Colony, and if possible in the mother country of the deceased. The advertisements were to be published after one year had elapsed from the death of the deceased, and were to state that the funds remaining from the estate would be transferred to the general revenue if no claim were made within five years from the death of the deceased.

(d) To transfer the funds to the general revenue an order of the Governor was, by section 3 of Ordinance 1 of 1885, required, and to enable such order to be made a certificate had to be furnished by the official administrator showing that advertisements had been made and that no claim could be reasonably expected against the estate.

3.—No provisions were made to meet the cases in which the necessary advertisements had not been made nor where administration had not been obtained until five years had expired since the death of the intestate.

4.—Cases have arisen in which these events have happened and there would appear to be no machinery whereby due advertisement can now be made and the money (if unclaimed) be transferred to the general revenue of the Colony.

5.—The object of the present bill is to meet these difficulties.

6.—The bill will enable the following to be done:—

(a) All moneys which have remained unclaimed for at least five years in the Treasury or in the accounts of the Government or of any officer thereof to be at once transferred to the general revenue of the Colony. (Clause 2.)

(b) All moneys, other than balances of intestate estate, which have remained unclaimed for five years to be transferred to the general revenue of the Colony.

This will now be done by order of the Governor under the hand of the Colonial Secretary, as it is not considered necessary that the Governor should personally sign such order. The order and any conditions attached thereto will be published in the Gazette. (Clause 3.)

(c) By clause 4, the official administrator, if, at the next of kin are not known to him, to cause advertisement to be published in the Colony and, if he considers it desirable, also in any place where it appears probable that persons entitled to share in the residue of the estate may be found.

(d) Clause 13 repeals the proviso to section 25 of Ordinance 1 of 1885 for the reason that the periods mentioned in the Unclaimed Balances Ordinance, 1885, e.g., in sections 4, 5 and 6 of that Ordinance disappear with the repeal of that Ordinance.

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### HONG KONG IMPORTS.

#### MARKETS QUIET ALL ROUND.

The Fortnightly Price Current and Market Report issued on Saturday by the Hong Kong General Chamber of Commerce states:—

COTTON PIECE GOODS AND FANCY COTTON GOODS.—The following reports have been received:—Market very quiet. There has been some enquiry for white shirtings but very little business doing. Manchester prices are fairly steady.

Nothing to report, market very quiet. Deliveries continue satisfactory. The raw material has been steady with an upward tendency.

WOOLLENS.—Small business being done in wool velvets, woollen rugs and scarlet blankets.

Market values for woollens in general have declined and dealers are finding it difficult to obtain margins. Clearances have been fairly satisfactory but the demand from Kwangai has fallen off.

COTTON YARN.—Since our last report, market has ruled quiet, but prices are unchanged. Nominal quotations are as follows:—No. 10s at \$170 to \$180, No. 12s at \$180 to \$190, No. 16s at \$195 to \$200, No. 20s at \$200 to \$205. Arrivals nil; shipments nil, sales nil, unsold stocks 1,400 bales, bargains 6,400 bales.

RAW COTTON.—No business to report.

METALS.—Stocks heavier; prices dropped since last report.

FLUX REPORT.—Stock American, 280,000 bags; Canadian, 50,000 bags; Australian, 60,000 bags; Shanghai, 10,000 bags—Total 430,000 bags.

SUGAR.—Market: Fair, but demand is slow.

CHINA, INDIA AND STRAITS PRODUCTS.—Market dull, nothing doing.

SUGAR.—Reported sales: Java Rough White, 58,628 piculs, spot; 67,980 piculs to arrive during October, November, December, 1928, January, February, March, 1929; Fine White, 3,372 piculs, spot; Rough Brown, 28,913 piculs spot; 38,465 piculs to arrive during October, November, December, 1928, January, February, March, 1929; Molasses, 32,481 piculs; Crystal No. 34, 68,900 piculs; Crystal No. 18, 32,900 piculs; Soft White, 1,100 piculs; Brown, 14,100 piculs; No. 1, 900 piculs; No. 2, 1,000 piculs; Singapore Candy, 500 piculs.

SAUPATRE, No. 1.—Market improving.

This gets rid of the term "mother country" and substitutes for it the place where the advertisement is most likely to be effective.

The period allowed for the claim is five years from the date of the advertisement.

(d) The official administrator is by clause 5 to pay unclaimed balances either into the Treasury or under the direction of the Treasurer into an account of the Government at a named bank.

The Governor has power to direct such sums to be transferred to the general revenue of the Colony but in the case of a balance amounting to \$100 or upwards this power can only be exercised on production of a certificate by the official administrator that the advertisements required have been published and that five years have elapsed since such advertisements and that no further claim can reasonably be expected.

(e) Provision is made by clause 6 for interest to be added to the principal.

This clause does not apply if the balance be less than one hundred dollars.

(f) Provision is made by clause 7 for the transfer to general revenue of unclaimed balances, other than those of intestate estates, remaining in the Supreme Court for five years or longer, and the Court is empowered to require notice to such parties as it may think fit.

(g) Provisions are made by clauses 8, 9 and 10 for the refunding of sums of money transferred to the general revenue of the Colony; and the Governor in Council has power to entertain moral claims respecting the same and also legal or equitable claims where the amount is less than one hundred dollars.

Any payment under any order made by the Governor in Council is a bar to the extent of such payment in any subsequent claim against the Crown. (Clause 11.)

(h) Clause 12 makes any payment under this Ordinance chargeable to general revenue.

(i) Clause 13 repeals the proviso to section 25 of Ordinance 1 of 1885 for the reason that the periods mentioned in the Unclaimed Balances Ordinance, 1885, e.g., in sections 4, 5 and 6 of that Ordinance disappear with the repeal of that Ordinance.

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Chartered Banks	...\$222 buy.
Maritime Banks, A. & B.	...\$234 nom.
Do.	O...\$214 1/2 nom.
P. & O. Banks	...\$234 nom.
East Asia Banks	...\$277 1/2 buy.
Canton Insurance	...\$675 sel.
Union Insurance	...\$362 1/2 buy, 365 sel.
North China Ins.	...\$180 buy.
Yantai Insurance	...\$180 buy.
China Underwriters	...\$24 sel.
China Fire Insurance	...\$275 buy.
Hong Kong Fire Ins.	...\$300 sel.
Donghai	...\$384 nom.
H.K. Steamboats	...\$284 nom.
H.K. Tugs	...\$164 nom.
Indo-China (Prof.)	...\$41 buy.
Do. (Def.)	...\$72 buy.
Shell Transport	...\$114 nom.
Waterworks	...\$334 buy.
Empire	...\$324 buy.
Kailash Mining Adm.	...\$71 buy.
Langkate (combined)	...\$11 nom.
Do. (single)	...\$11 nom.
Shan. Explorations	...\$124 buy.
Shanghai Loans	...\$124 buy.
Rails	...\$440 buy.
Trunk Mines	...\$176 nom.
H.K. & E. Wires	...\$134 nom.
H.K. & W. Docks	...\$37 nom.
China Provident	...\$630 nom.
Hongkong	...\$156 nom.
New Engineering	...\$176 nom.
Shanghai Docks	...\$106 buy.
Zwo Cottons	...\$114 buy.
Oriental Cottons	...\$245 nom.
Shai. Cottons (old)	...\$133 buy.
Do. (new)	...\$133 buy.
H.K. & S. Hotels	...\$133 buy, 915 sel., 918/15 ss.
H.K. Lands	...\$67 nom.
Shanghai Lands	...\$128 buy.
Humphreys Estates	...\$1570 nom.
H.K. Realities	...\$1570 nom.
H.K. Tramways	...\$21.89 buy, & ss. 21.95 sel.
Peak Trams (old)	...\$13 buy.
Do. (new)	...\$30 nom.
Sun. Fertilis	...\$374 nom.
China Lights (old)	...\$13.45 buy.
Do. (new)	...\$13.80 nom.
Do. (1928 issue)	...\$13.20 buy, & ss. 13.25 sel.
H.K. Electric (old)	...\$51.29 buy, & ss. 51.30/52 ss.
Do. (new)	...\$50 1/2 ss.
Macao Electric	...\$324 buy.
Telephones	...\$7.30 buy, 7 rights
Do.	...\$84 sel, 2 rights
Do. rights	...\$130 nom.
China Bank	...\$11 buy.
Singapore Trams	...\$12 nom.
Do. (Prof.)	...\$18 1/2 buy, 19/3 sel.
China Export	...\$1 nom.
Malayan Stearns	...\$224 buy.
Canton Loan	...\$34 nom.
Cements (combined)	...\$320 nom.
Do. (old)	...\$30 nom.
Do. (new)	...\$41 buy, & ss. 41.50 sel.
H.K. Ropes (old)	...\$7.88 nom.
Do. (new)	...\$7.55 nom.

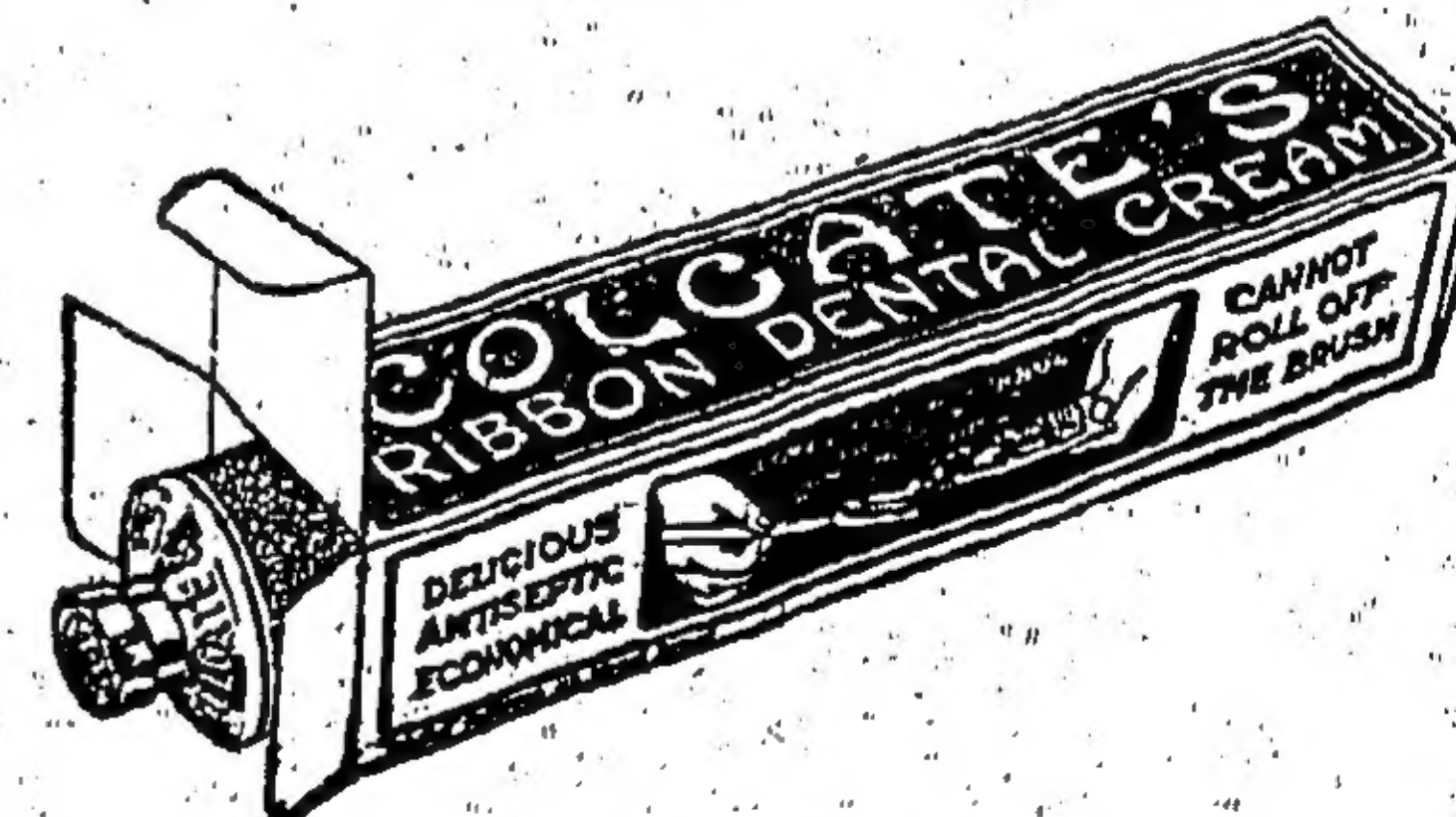
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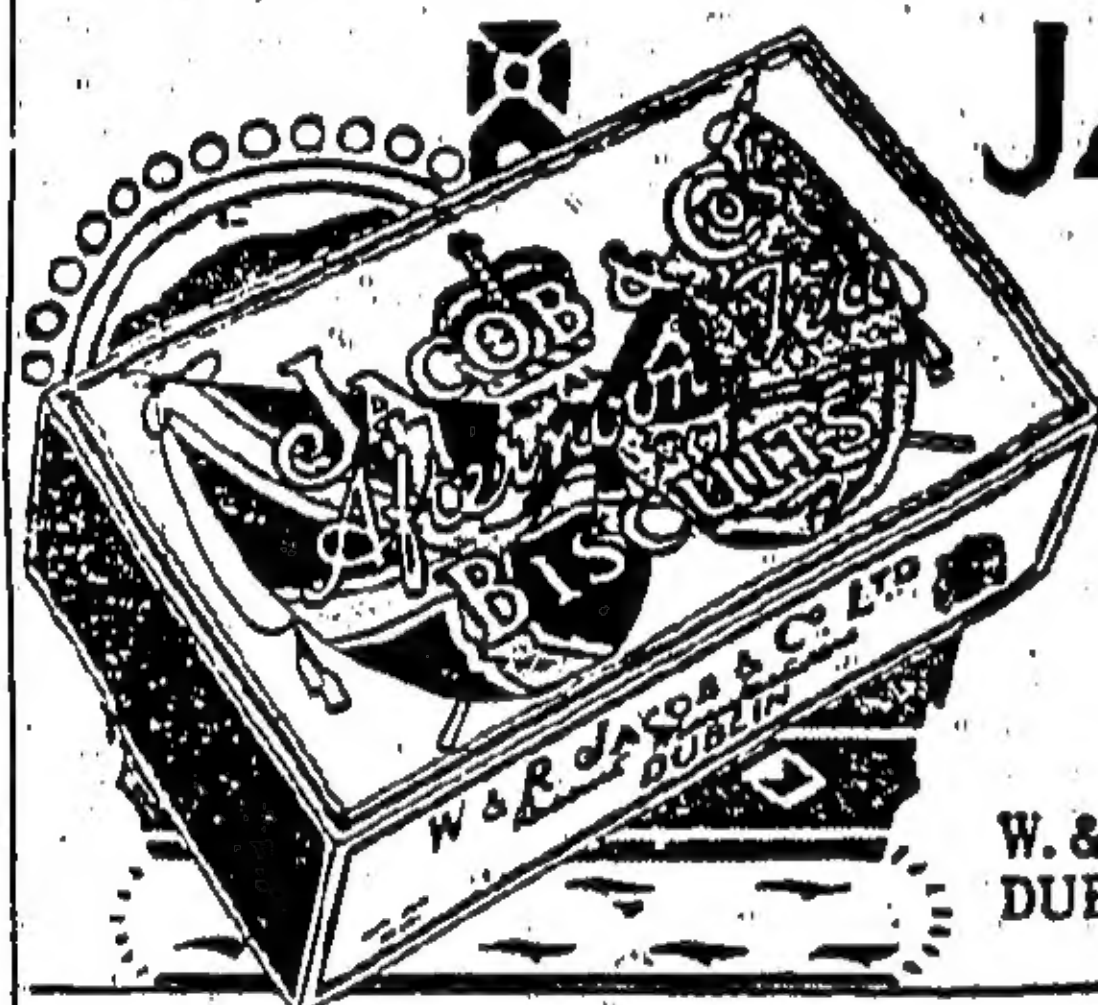
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COOLIDGE'S CONFIDENCE IN  
HOOVER.

[REUTER'S AMERICAN SERVICE.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 3rd.—As Mr. Hoover sped towards California preaching the doctrine of Republican prosperity, Governor Al Smith was wildly welcomed on his return here by hundreds of thousands despite the rain.

The Governor, smiling happily, drove in a procession containing lorries conveying brass bands and newspaper photographers, through a storm of tape and confetti.

Mr. Hoover at St. Louis devoted almost his entire speech to farm relief and promised, if elected, to inaugurate a new institution in the government specially designed to deal with existing and future agricultural problems, the institution to comprise a Federal Farm Board.

The Republicans think that President Coolidge is practically certain that Mr. Hoover will be elected as his successor.

Last night President Coolidge sent a telegram to Mr. Hoover, who is at St. Louis, to the effect that the success of his election campaign is assured. President Coolidge added:—

"I shall turn over the great office of President to your keeping and am sure it will be in competent hands."

BARONY FOR RETIRING  
ARCHBISHOP.

HONOUR FOR DR. RANDALL  
DAVIDSON.

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

RUGBY, Nov. 2nd.—H.M. the King has approved that the dignity of a Barony be conferred upon the Most Reverend and Right Honourable Dr. Randall Davidson, Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, Primate of all England and Metropolitan, on the occasion of his resignation.

The retiring Archbishop will thus retain the seat in the House of Lords which he has occupied as a Spiritual Peer by virtue of his episcopal office. He has always made valuable contributions to the debates in the Upper House upon Church and social matters.

This is the first occasion on which any Archbishop has become a Temporal Peer.

Past Archbishops of Canterbury have, however, generally died in office. This was the case with Dr. Davidson's immediate predecessors in the Archbishopric—Drs. Tait, Benson and Temple.

SOVIET SALE OF ART  
TREASURES.

OWNER'S UNAVAILING  
PROTEST.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

BERLIN, Nov. 2nd.—The vigorous protests of prominent Russian emigres against the sale by auction in Berlin of valuable art treasures stolen by the Bolsheviks from their palaces and homes, will be unavailing if the decision of the court delivered to-day is allowed to stand.

The application was made by Prince Alexander Cotromanitz, who asked for an injunction to prevent a firm of auctioneers from selling a valuable portrait and other articles, which he declares were illegally taken from his palace in Petrograd.

The Court to-day declined to grant the injunction on the ground that the petitioners have not proved their present rights of ownership.

Prince Cotromanitz has announced his intention of pursuing the matter further, and it is understood that the case will shortly come before the Supreme Court of Prussia for hearing.

MR. JOHN J. RASKOB'S  
FUTURE.

FINAL RESIGNATION FROM  
GENERAL MOTORS.

[REUTER'S AMERICAN SERVICE.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 2nd.—The New York Times understands that Mr. John J. Raskob, who resigned his position as Chairman of the Finance Committee of the General Motors Corporation in order to become the Democratic campaign manager, will not return to his old position after the election.

It is not known whether he will also resign his Vice-Presidency and Directorship of the Corporation, but it is reported in Wall Street that he intends to sever all connection with the company.

Mr. Raskob's position is curious since, prior to this election, he was regarded as a Republican. In July last, however, he announced his resignation from the General Motors Corporation, in order to devote his time and attention to the chairmanship of the Democratic National Committee, which meant that he would be the director of Governor Smith's presidential campaign.

## BUCHAREST TROUBLE.

BRATIANU GOVERNMENT  
RESIGNS.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

BERLIN, Nov. 3rd.—A report from Bucharest states that the Bratianu Government has resigned owing to the Regency Council's insisting on a Coalition Government representing all Parties and the refusal of the National Peasants Party to accept Mr. Bratianu's leadership. Bucharest is seething with excitement.

## RIOTS AT LEMBERG.

UKRAINIANS ARRESTED.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

WARSAW, Nov. 3rd.—120 were injured, 8 fatally, in disturbances between Poles and Ukrainians at Lemberg, in connection with the Polish celebration of the 10th anniversary of the defence of the town against Ukrainian troops.

The situation has now been controlled. 60 Ukrainians were arrested.

MEMORIAL TO BRITISH  
WAR DEAD.

UNKNOWN WARRIORS  
HONOURED.

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

RUGBY, Nov. 2nd.—Lieutenant-General Sir William Pulteney will unveil on Sunday a memorial erected at La Ferté sous Jouarre in honour of the British Expeditionary Force and to record names of 3,888 officers and men who fell in the operations at Mons and on the Aisne in 1914 but have no known graves.

Field-Marshal Sir George Milne, Chief of the Imperial Staff, and General Sir Horace Smith-Dorrien will be present. Marshal Foch and General Wyngand will also attend.

A Guard of Honour numbering over 100 officers and men will be commanded by Colonel Heywood, of the Coldstream Guards, and in its constitution will be a body of exceptional distinction.

It will include one representative of every regiment or corps which figured in the composition of the original British Expeditionary Force. Every man in it took part in the operations of 1914 in the ranks of his unit and is still serving to-day.

Many constituents of the Corps have been disbanded, such as the famous Irish regiments, but representatives of these Corps have been found serving in other Corps and on the day of the ceremony they will attend wearing the uniform of the unit in whose ranks they fought in 1914.

EARTHQUAKE SHOCK IN  
AMERICA.

MUCH DAMAGE DONE.

[REUTER'S AMERICAN SERVICE.]

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 2nd.—Two heavy earthquake shocks rocked the town of Lampoc and the country surrounding Santa Barbara last night, destroying all communications and causing much damage.

At the moment it is impossible to ascertain the exact consequences of the earthquake, but so far no casualties have been reported.

## SANDINO A FUGITIVE.

REBEL'S POWER BROKEN.

[REUTER'S AMERICAN SERVICE.]

According to reports of officers of the United States Marine Corps, General Sandino, the Nicaraguan Liberal rebel, has ceased to be a factor in North Nicaragua.

It is stated that the present whereabouts of the leader, whose outrages have shocked the Americans, are at present unknown, but it is added that only scattered handfuls of his followers, totalling altogether about eighty are still operating against law and order.

## EXCHANGE RATES.

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

	RUGBY, Nov. 2nd.
Paris	124.10
New York	4.84
Brussels	34.53
Geneva	25.20
Amsterdam	12.09
Milan	22.30
Berlin	20.30
Stockholm	18.14
Copenhagen	18.19
Oslo	18.19
Vienna	34.47
Prague	18.21
Helsingfors	19.21
Madrid	30.06
Lisbon	10.71
Athens	37.5
Bucharest	80.2
Rio	5.29/32
Buenos Aires	47.15/16
Bombay	1/8.1/16
Shanghai	7/7
Hong Kong	2/0
Yokohama	1/11.3/32
Silver (spot)	20
Silver (forward)	20

## LESSON SERMON.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST,  
SCIENTIST, HONG KONG.

"Everlasting Punishment" was the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, November 4th.

The Golden Text was: "The hope of the righteous shall be gladness: but the expectation of the wicked shall perish" (Proverbs 10: 28).

Among the citations which comprised the Lesson-Sermon was the following from the Bible: "The wicked worketh a deceitful work: but to him that soweth righteousness shall be a sure reward. As righteousness tendeth to life: so he that pursueth evil pursueth it to his own death. They that are of a forward heart are abomination to the Lord: but such as are upright in their way are his delight. Though hand join in hand, the wicked shall not be unpunished: but the seed of the righteous shall be delivered" (Prov. 11: 18-21).

The Lesson-Sermon also included the following passages from the Christian Science text-book, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "We should relieve our minds of the depressing thought that we have transgressed a material law and must of necessity pay the penalty. Let us reassure ourselves with the law of Love. God never punishes man for doing right, for honest labour, or for deeds of kindness, though they expose him to fatigue, cold, heat, contagion" (p. 384).

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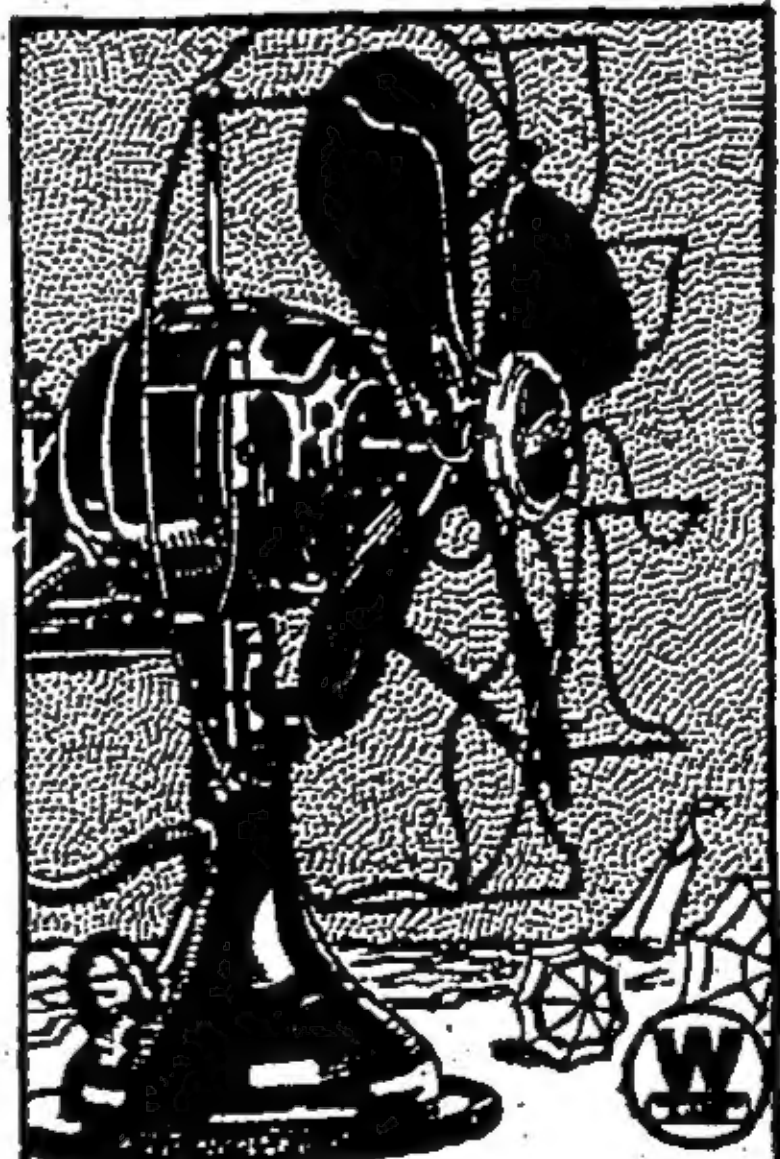
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## JAPANESE EMIGRATION TO BRAZIL.

AT THE RATE OF 800 A MONTH.

ATTEMPT TO SOLVE UNEMPLOYMENT AND  
OVER-POPULATION PROBLEMS.

The current number of "The Rock" gives the following account by Father E. Kircher, S.J., of the great stream of Japanese emigration to Brazil.

It also describes the work that is being done for emigrants by Roman Catholic Missionaries.

The number of Japanese emigrating to Brazil is increasing year by year. Twice every month a boat leaves Kobe, there being often as many as 800 or more emigrants on board. This year alone the number to be sent to the South American Republic is said to be between 15,000 and 20,000.

All over Japan, in newspapers and magazines, in public lectures and private talks emigration is encouraged, especially amongst the teeming millions of the farming class. The thought of departing for the New World is gradually getting hold of those who are faced with unemployment and starvation.

8,000,000 Out Of Work.

The actual number out of work in Japan is said to be close on 8,000,000, an appalling figure, and as, according to the latest census, the annual increase in population is about 800,000, the disposal of the surplus has become a very serious question indeed. Hence the Japanese Government as well as the private capitalists encouraged by the Government are doing everything in their power to induce the people to solve the problem for themselves. It means the breaking of old traditions, but it will help both the country and the emigrants.

Looking After Emigrants.

Last year a five-story building was erected in Kobe in which the emigrants are accommodated for about ten days before sailing. Here they undergo a strict medical examination and are given a series of lectures on the kind of life awaiting them in Brazil. Not every one who applies is allowed to travel. Moral integrity and physical fitness are absolutely indispensable. The expenses of the stay at Kobe are paid and the money necessary for the voyage is advanced by the Government or by the private companies working under the auspices of the Government. On arrival in Brazil the emigrant will find employment on the coffee plantations or in other agricultural works, very great facilities being given by the Brazilian Government.

Up to the present the emigrants have gone almost altogether to the State of Sao Paulo, but of late plans are under consideration to divert part of the stream into the regions of the Lower Amazon, where great tracts of land are to be brought under cultivation, and where Japanese capitalists are thinking of erecting great spinning mills. At a time when so many other nations are closing their doors to Japanese nationals it is a great boon to the latter nation to be able to find an opening in Brazil. There is a rumour of a contract between the Japanese Government and the State of Sao Paulo arranging for the permanent settlement of one million emigrants in that state.

Only Best Type Allowed.

But the same forces which led to the exclusion of the Japanese from other countries are at work also in Brazil. There is a movement on foot and gaining strength every year to block Japanese immigration. It stands to reason, therefore, that Japan is doing all in her power to avert the danger by seeing to it that no undesirable i.e. physical or moral inferiors go into the country and by making those who do enter conform as fully as possible to the laws and customs of their adopted home.

Catholics Favoured.

Having heard how much Brazil appreciates immigrants who are

Catholics the Japanese authorities consider it part of their policy and programme to encourage intending settlers to study Catholic teaching and eventually get baptised. For about two years a Jesuit Father of the Jochi Daigaku, the Catholic University of Tokyo, Father H. Heuvers, S.J., has been going to Kobe, each time an emigrant ship is due to leave, to give the passengers a lecture or two on Catholic doctrine, the Kobe authorities giving him every facility. Not satisfied with one or two talks the managers of the Kobe house, by what authority is not quite apparent, applied to the local clergy to appoint a priest to give the emigrants a regular course during their stay of ten days, with the result that the Bishop of Osaka has set aside the newly ordained Japanese Father Yamahaka for the work. He stays in the house while the emigrants are waiting for the boat and is devoting himself with great zeal to the task, instructing the travellers in the Catholic Faith, teaching them Catholic hymns and bringing them to the Church to be present at Catholic services.

Official Japanese Support Of Missionaries.

The following incident is another indication of how the authorities are favouring the movement towards Catholicism amongst the emigrants. The writer, a missionary of the Jesuit Vicariate of Hiroshima has been appointed to work amongst the Japanese settlers in Brazil. When the news leaked out newspaper reporters interviewed him and in all the local papers his photograph was published with articles eulogising his work and the far-sighted charity of the Catholic Church. Three days before his departure from Okayama he was the guest of honour at a dinner given by the provincial authorities in the finest hotel of the city, the Mayor, editors of newspapers and members of the private emigration companies taking it upon themselves to invite the guests. More than one hundred of the most representative citizens were present and in the absence of the Governor of the Province the Mayor of Okayama made a speech in which he emphasised the importance of missionary work amongst the Japanese emigrants, showing what a tremendous power for good in general, and in particular for conciliating differences arising from racial prejudice is to be found in the Catholic Church. The words sounded very strange in the mouth of a high Japanese official, considering how hostile public opinion is to the Church in Japan. Next day when the Father paid a visit to the officials he was asked to report minutely from Brazil, noting what he considered wrong with the Japanese emigration policy. He was especially thanked for the services he was rendering to Japan. When he left Okayama quite a number of dignitaries were at the station to see him off.

The spontaneous interest taken by these officials in the mission springs from the consciousness that if there is a power in the world capable of solving the difficult race problem under which Japan is labouring, that power is the Catholic Church. It is certainly true that the two factors which are controlling the anti-Japanese movement in Brazil are the energetic stand the Catholic clergy are making against the movement, and the fact that so many of the Japanese emigrants are being converted to the Faith.

### SOLDIERS' OWN WAR MEMORIAL.

HILL OF BADGES MARRED  
BY TIME.

A public outcry has arisen in Salisbury over the neglect which has allowed the splendid collection of regimental badges carved on the face of the hills of Fovant by troops from all over the Empire during the war to become almost obliterated.

Fovant Downs was the training ground for thousands of British troops, who thus left their mark on the face of the chalk slopes.

These carvings are simple, but not crude, for there was great rivalry among the units to produce the most artistic memorial. No steps were taken to preserve these carvings, so time and weather have laid a devastating hand on them.

The matter was raised in 1923, and the National Trust for the Preservation of Places of Historic Interest and Natural Beauty was approached. Nothing was done, however, although the trust had just

before accepted charge of the famous Chalk Giant at Cerne Abbas in Dorset, the site of which had been bought and presented to them.

The Mayor of Salisbury has received a letter from a New Zealander, who had a hand in cutting one of these memorials, and was anxious to know what was happening to them. He could only be told that they had been neglected and were gradually becoming indecipherable.

It was nobody's job to look after them, but now the work of preservation is being taken in hand.

The occupier of the land, Mr. Combes, a farmer, has permitted the work to be carried out, and is himself undertaking the task of renovating the Australian badge, representing the rising sun.

The Salisbury branch of the T. C. H. has decided to renovate the Maltese Cross of the London Rifle Brigade, after which it will set to work on the flag of the Royal Warwickshire Regiment and the crest of the 7th City of London Regiment on Sutton Downs.

The War Office, when approached, decided it could take no initiative.

## COLONY'S FINANCES.

FIGURES FOR FIRST SEVEN  
MONTHS OF 1928.

\$2,000,000 INCREASE IN  
REVENUE.

\$700,000 INCREASE IN  
EXPENDITURE.

The balance of assets over liabilities on June 30th, was \$5,538,916.50. During July the revenue was \$2,160,443.33 and the expenditure \$1,608,704.64, leaving a balance of assets on July 31st, of \$6,110,555.60.

The revenue for 1928 up to the end of July, excluding land sales, was \$12,837,348.08 as compared with \$11,523,738.96 for the corresponding period last year. The land sales amounted to \$763,519.27 as against \$67,167.02 in 1927. The total revenue for the first seven months of 1928, therefore, was \$13,600,867.35 compared with \$11,590,908.98 up to July, 1927.

The expenditure to July 31st, 1928, was \$11,476,073.33 compared with an expenditure of \$10,779,004.91 for the corresponding period last year.

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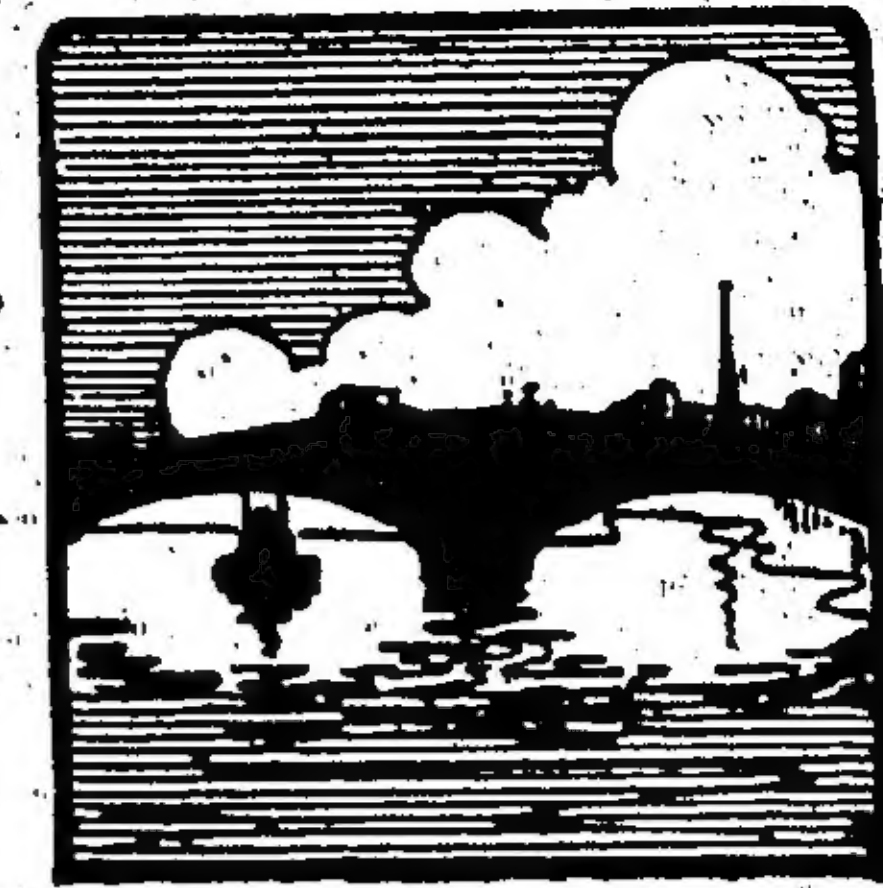
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MEASURES.

(FROM OUR CHINESE CORRESPONDENT.)

CANTON, Nov. 4th.

Latest reports to hand state that the Communists and outlaws in northern Kwangtung, who were driven into the mountains some months ago by Government troops under General Fan Shek Shan, Brigadier-General Hsu Hok Cheung and others, are again active, spreading death and destruction among the innocent people. They have swooped from the mountains bordering the Kwangtung-Hunan provinces, several thousand in number, and captured Wan On City and several towns and villages in the Siu Chan district and are now rapidly advancing towards eastern Kwangsi.

These towns and cities were practically destroyed, everything of value being taken away. Buildings and houses were burned and their owners and occupants were either killed or driven out. A number of these unfortunate people have come to Canton for refuge. It appears that these marauders, under the leadership of the notorious communists Chu Tak and Mo Chak Tung, are trying to force their way through Ping Hsiang and Liu Yang cities to join forces with Pang Tak Wye, another Communist leader operating in southern Kiangsi.

Some months ago these Communists and outlaws, after devastating several important towns north of Shikwan including the prosperous city of Chenchow in southern Hunan, were driven into hiding by the combined Government Forces of Kwangtung, Kwangsi and Hunan. Thousands of the Communists were then killed and quantities of their arms and ammunition were taken. The Governments of the provinces concerned, after their initial success, wanted to comb out the mountains on the borders of these provinces where the Communist strongholds are located. An organized military expedition composed of troops from these three provinces was planned but never carried out. The Communists, after their crushing defeats, retreated back to the mountains to await another chance.

Months went by without any trouble. The Government thought that no more would be heard of these desperadoes. Troops were therefore withdrawn, except in small numbers and precautionary measures were relaxed. But the departure of the army gave the Communists their chance and they again descended from their mountain strongholds carrying havoc and destruction in all directions.

## GARRISONS OUTMATCHED.

The few soldiers garrisoning towns attacked were no match for the thousands of bandits. They retreated towards Kwei Tung and Sam Do without offering any substantial resistance at the approach of their adversaries. It is reported that no less than 200 agents of the Communists are in Siu Ying, Pek Shek Tung, Tong Teon, and other cities and towns and villages of the district of Yan Fah in northern Kwangtung.

Meanwhile martial law has been declared in the North River districts and the Canton régime is taking steps to deal with the situation. It is thought, however, that no difficulty will be experienced in driving the Communists back to the mountains. But there is admitted difficulty of finding their well fortified hiding places. The Government soldiers declared that the hardest thing to do is to fight these outlaws at their own doors. They know the mountain paths and all the strategic points thereon so well that it would be most disastrous to attack them in that way. Aeroplanes have been suggested as the only method for destroying these strongholds. It is reported that the Canton Government has already despatched an aeroplane to the mountains to drop bombs, but handbills urging the bandits to give up banditry and return to a peaceful life. The Government says if this does not work, then it will destroy their strongholds with high explosives dropped from the air.

THE RETURN OF THE  
NATIVE.CHILEAN CHINESE  
VICTIMISED.GANG WHO KIDNAP OVER-  
SEAS CHINESE.

Hong Kay a native of Fatsan, who emigrated to Chili some thirty years ago worked hard on the plantations and by denying himself all luxuries, managed to put by a substantial sum. He returned to China by the *President Harrison* about a month ago with the intention of settling down and getting married.

After buying a wardrobe of Chinese clothes in Hong Kong, he went to Canton and there through matrimonial agents, he got in touch with a young lady of eighteen summers. Arrangements were made and the wedding day was fixed. Then one night his home at Fatsan was raided by a gang of about twenty armed bandits. They ransacked the premises and not finding much of value, the robbers took Hong away with them to their stronghold in the mountains.

Hong was kept there for ten days and they asked for \$20,000 as the price of his freedom. The robbers knew that Hong had returned from a foreign country and that he had plenty of money. Hong wept copiously and after ten days in captivity, he convinced his captors that he had not got so much money. He finally agreed to pay all that he owed in this world and that was \$10,000.

## Back To Chili!

The money was sent for and Hong was released. He arrived in Hong Kong yesterday and when seen by a *Daily Press* representative, he said that he was trying to raise funds from friends to enable him to return to Chili, where he would have to start all over again. "What can I do now, I am old and there is very little chance for me to make money." Of course, I had to give up the dream of my life—that is the young woman I was going to marry. I can't support her now, and it would be most unfair to take her out to a strange land without money.

Asked to detail his experience, he said that the robbers blindfolded him before taking him to the mountains. There he was treated fairly well because they knew that he had money. He had a very difficult task in convincing the thieves that he did not possess \$20,000 and when the robbers agreed to take \$10,000, he had to make out the pawn shop receipt, where his money was kept, to the chief of the brigands.

## Men From Overseas Wanted.

He also said that the bandits told him that they reaped a rich harvest by kidnapping returned emigrants. "We do not take the trouble to kidnap local folks, because they have no money. The men who return from America, Australia and other foreign countries, are the men we want," the bandit chief said.

THE LATE MAJOR BAM-  
FORD, V.C.

The late Major Bamford, V.C., whose death at Shanghai was reported recently, had a dislike of publicity. In this connection a correspondent of *The Times* recalls an occasion when publicity was thrust upon him, and promptly evaded:

It was during the War. The King was paying a visit to Rosyth. There were strangers in the wardroom of the *Queen Elizabeth*, which otherwise was crowded with officers from the ships of the Grand Fleet. Zebrugge, of which we had recently heard, came up for conversation. "Like to see a Zebrugge here?" asked a lively young Naval lieutenant of the strangers, and without waiting for the obvious answer he and an equally lively friend made a sudden, violent raid upon another group, dragging from it a round-faced, pink-cheeked, wholly boyish, Marine officer. One at each side they led him forward with the introduction "Here you are! First on the Mole and last off." Whether or not this was strictly accurate, it was sufficiently near the truth. But the Marine officer blushed so much, laughed so much, struggled so much, and presented so little the appearance of a hero that the strangers concluded they were being subjected to a test, not unknown in His Majesty's ships, of their aptitude for "leg-pulling." So they too laughed as at a good joke, and the Marine officer, after telling his captors to "chuck it" and describing them as all sorts of fools and asses, was allowed to escape. Some time afterwards he was recognised as Bamford. That was when the King decorated him with the V.C. "for most conspicuous gallantry" at the storming of the Mole.

## CORRESPONDENCE.

MONEY-LENDING.

(TO THE EDITOR OF THE "HONG KONG  
DAILY PRESS.")

Sir,—The frequent cases involving money lending which are heard in the Supreme Court clearly indicate that there should be something done to assist salaried men who may be in need of money with which to meet urgent and unforeseen obligations. It is because of the absence of any such arrangement (as there is in America) that a great many people have to resort to usurious money lenders who not only make the borrower sign a note for double the amount actually involved but charge the rate of 10 per cent. per month by way of interest. The 2 per cent. mentioned in the promissory note is a dodge to hoodwink the Judge.

Recently, finding myself in need of money with which to put my wife in hospital and to meet unforeseen obligations, I endeavoured to obtain a loan locally in a manner that is satisfactory both to the lender and myself, but I found it impossible to secure one. I then tried an Indian money lender. This worthy not only wanted me to find a guarantor but required a note for twice the amount lent with an interest clause of 2 per cent. per month. Moreover, I was required to pay 10 per cent. monthly interest upon the money actually borrowed. Who could blame me for refraining from borrowing on these terms? And here am I, still urgently in need of the money but unable to get it! It is on account of the absence of money lending facilities for the salaried men that the money lenders are able to flourish.

Employers are apt to look down upon any money borrowing by their employees but they overlook the fact that very often something unforeseen occurs that compels a man to seek a loan. Now, take my case as an example. For eight months I was without a regular income and during the interval whatever money I had saved up previously had been "eaten up" by living expenses and by sickness in the family. And now that I have secured a job, I am doing my best to send my wife to the hospital for much needed treatment. Why should I have difficulty in raising a couple of hundred dollars say, making an arrangement with my employer to deduct so much from my salary at the end of each month to be turned over to the lender? It would be a safe proposition to him and a great help and admirable arrangement to me, and, moreover, the lender could have a rate of interest (2 per cent. per month is the highest legal rate I believe) which ought to be highly satisfactory to all concerned.

But no—the salaried man is always the under dog and everybody keeps him down. Is it any wonder that "dangerous thoughts" are so prevalent?—Yours faithfully,

STILL IN NEED.

Hong Kong, November 2nd, 1928.

MISS ROYDEN AND  
THEOSOPHY.(TO THE EDITOR OF THE "HONG KONG  
DAILY PRESS.")

Sir,—I was one of hundreds of women who met in the Helena May Institute yesterday afternoon to hear Miss Royden speak. I admire immensely her strong faith, clear vision and broad views, but I should like to correct one statement which she made.

Someone asked for her views on Theosophy and Miss Royden said that Theosophists "took the best parts of all religions and blended them into one religion. This is not correct. Theosophists do study other religions but it is mainly so that they may be able to see things through the other fellows' eyes in order to foster their great ideal of Universal Brotherhood.

I have never heard it expressed that one should adopt parts of other faiths but always it has been impressed on one that he should seek the best in his own faith, rejecting only the dross which has crept in and which causes dissension.

The study of other religions does not make one a worse Christian but makes one understand that in all religions there is, fundamentally, a great resemblance.

Personally, I consider that I am a better Christian for having come in touch with Theosophy.—Yours,

"THEOSOPHIST."

November 3rd, 1928.

"FASHIONS FOR  
WOMEN."THE GIRL WHO TOOK ON  
ANOTHER'S REPUTATION.AMUSING SCENES AND "WON-  
DERFUL" CLOTHES.

(BY OUR FILM CRITIC.)

"Fashions for Women," showing at the Queen's Theatre to-day, is an amusing, if quite unpretentious piece of work on the lines of French farce. A pretty little American cigarette seller at a fashionable Paris café determines to win a young count who takes not the least notice of her charms. She gets her chance when Celeste de Givrey, the "Queen of Fashion," or in other words the No. 1 mannequin of Paris, after having her face "lifted" back to youth decides to go into the country and then make a dramatic return. But the house that dresses her urgently needs her services. So her ingenious and rather odious press agent fixes up a substitute. He has by the way engaged the attractive young count as the fashion Queen's private aviator—"You won't have to fly, it's just a publicity stunt." The cigarette girl, of course, gets the job of impersonating the Paris queen, and how she literally snatches the post from a rival is quite amusing. So there she is, Queen of Fashion, with her disdainful adored one as her "private aviator," and things go swimmingly until the little cad of a publicity agent tells the young count all about the real fashion Queen's peccadilloes. When that charming old roue the Duke of Arles rolls up just at the wrong moment, to see his rejuvenated adored one, the fat is indeed in the fire. Then the old fellow makes it worse by carrying off and marrying the real fashion Queen, who was, as a publicity stunt, to denounce her impersonator at a big mannequin show. But the poor heroine had relied on this to show her Count that she was a dear little innocent after all, and not the notorious Celeste de Givrey.

It is, of course, all straightened out quite easily, rattling on to a merry conclusion. Esther Ralston duplicates the parts of the fair American and of the real Queen of Fashion, and has ample opportunity to show off her pretty face and figure. There is the usual parade of "wonderful dresses" and our heroine is "shot" having her bath of fresh milk. It is all light, innocuous, and well acted.

An "Our gang" comic has some amusing moments when two performing seals invade a school and the news reels gives a glimpse of an oil well thoroughly afloat.

## "DRUMS OF LOVE."

COMING TO THE QUEEN'S.

Adapted from the historical incident of Francisco da Rimini, D. W. Griffith's new spectacle film "Drums of Love," which arrives at the Queen's Theatre on Wednesday, is heralded by critics as being his greatest achievement since "The Birth of a Nation."

In "Drums of Love" the great director takes one to a kingdom in which two brothers hold complete sway. Don Cathos, the fighter, is a mad of iron will, but physically an ugly misshapen dwarf. Leonardo, the younger, is handsome and gentle. It is when Cathos receives a beautiful girl for a bride as a token of homage from a neighbouring nobleman, and Leonardo falls in love with his brother's wife, that complications enter into the plot. Scene upon scene of dramatic intensity builds up a startling development. The huge cast, which includes some 2,000 "extras" in big battle scenes, is headed by Mary Philbin, Lionel Barrymore, Don Alvarado and Tully Marshall.

## PROGRAMME FOR THE WEEK.

## Queen's.

To-day—"Fashions For Women," a photoplay of beautiful women, with Esther Ralston and Raymond Hatton.

To-morrow (Tuesday)—By popular request, "Senecia," Bebe Daniels' comedy-drama of love and adventure in South America.

Wednesday to Saturday—D. W. Griffith's new production, "Drums of Love." Based on the historical incident of Francisco da Rimini. With Mary Philbin, and Lionel Barrymore.

## World.

To-day—"The Fair Co-ed," a comedy of love and athletics. With Marion Davies.

Tuesday and Wednesday—"The Telephone Girl," a romance played against a political background. With Madge Bellamy.

Thursday to Saturday—Douglas Fairbanks in "The Black Pirate." (Continued on next column).

ST. PETER'S Y.M.  
CLUB'S BAZAAR.A WELL ATTENDED  
FUNCTION.MRS. R. H. KOTEWALL OPENED  
THE FETE.

The second annual bazaar, arranged by St. Peter's Church Young Men's Club was held at the Sailors' Home on Saturday afternoon. There was a good attendance and some attractive and useful things displayed in the stalls. In addition there were the usual side shows.

Mrs. R. H. Kotewall performed the opening ceremony and in welcoming her the Dean of Hong Kong said that it was a great privilege to have Mrs. Kotewall to open the fete. The fete was organised for the purpose of raising funds for St. Peter's Church. This Church lacked wealth but the energy and zeal of the small congregation would, he hoped, enable them to raise enough money for them to build a new Church with a full-time vicar.

The speaker described the good work done by this Club, particularly by Rev. N. V. Halward and concluded by appealing to those present to support the bazaar.

## Mrs. Kotewall Replies.

Mrs. Kotewall said that she had intended to ask her husband to speak for her, but unfortunately Dr. Kotewall was confined to bed by doctor's order. In a few well chosen words she thanked the committee for the honour done her in asking her to open the fete.

The St. Peter's Young Men's Club, Mrs. Kotewall said, was well known for the good work they are doing and her only regret was that Mr. George Zimmern, the former Secretary of the Club, was not present on this occasion. She wished the fete every success. A bouquet was then presented to Mrs. Kotewall by little Miss Sue.

## Thank You.

Rev. N. V. Halward returned thanks to those who had given money and goods for the fete. He said that the Club had suffered a great loss when Mr. George Zimmern left them but he was glad that Mr. J. C. L. Wong had stepped in and filled the gap. He called for three cheers for Mrs. Kotewall which were heartily given.

## Around The Ground.

In the ground were many stalls and side shows, all decorated with flags and bunting. There were stalls for the adults and for the children, there were the toy and sweets stalls, and in the adjacent stall button holes and baskets of fresh cut flowers. There were coconut shies, a shooting gallery and a book stalls.

"Shippery Sam" who said he had come from the cotton fields in Virginia, allowed himself to be shot at three times for ten cents, and those who could knock his top hat got cigarettes and candy for their skill. There were other attractions such as kicking the football through a hole and the "Lucky Well" with its valuable prizes.

Variety concert were given by J-Pans arranged by Miss Violet Capell and at night there was a dance thoroughly enjoyed by a large number of young men and young ladies.

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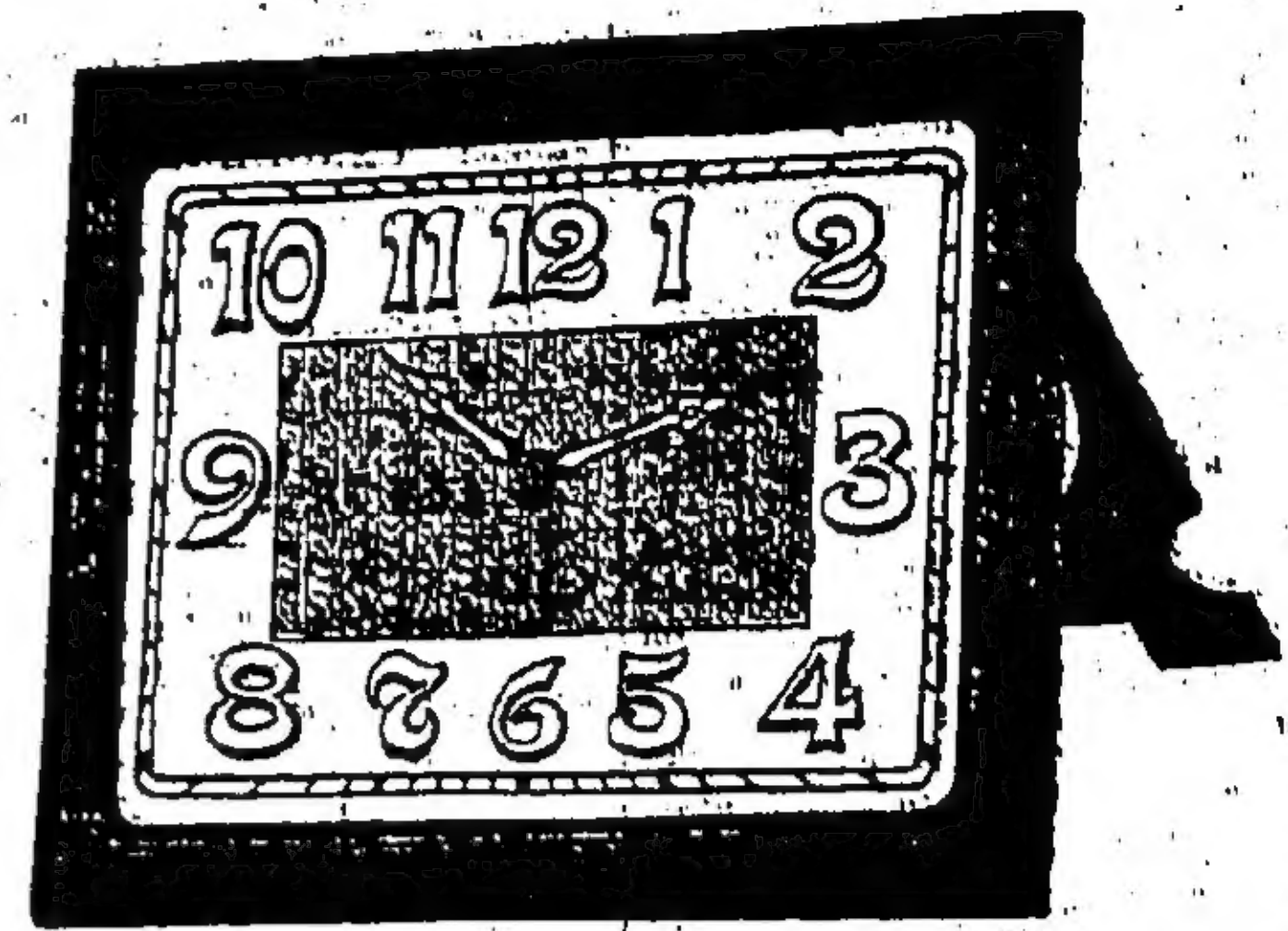
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To-day—"Wolf's Clothing," the amusing story of what happened on a New Year's Eve. With Monte Blue and Patsy Ruth Miller.

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Jockey Club during the Race Meeting.  
[6947]

## IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONG KONG.

ORIGINAL JURISDICTION  
MISCELLANEOUS PROCEEDINGS  
No. 34 of 1928.

IN THE MATTER OF HAFIC, LTD.  
(AND REDUCED)  
AND  
IN THE MATTER OF THE COMPANIES  
ORDINANCE, 1911.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN**  
that a Petition for confirming  
the Reduction of the Capital of  
the above Company from \$1,000,000  
divided into 1,000,000 Shares of  
\$1 Each of which \$50,000 Shares  
have been issued to \$947,500 divided  
into 947,500 Shares of \$1 Each was  
on 21st day of September, 1928,  
presented to the Supreme Court of  
Hong Kong and is now pending. A  
List of the Persons admitted to have been  
Creditors of the above Company on the  
1st day of November, 1928 (the date  
fixed by the Registrar in pursuance of  
the Order of the Court in this matter  
dated the 28th day of October, 1928),  
may be inspected at the Office of  
Messrs. DEACONS, the Solicitors to  
the Company at No. 1, Des Voeux Road,  
CENTRAL, Hong Kong, at any time  
during usual business hours.  
Any Person who claims to have been  
on the last mentioned day and still to be  
a Creditor of the Company and who is  
not entered in the said List and Claims to  
be so entered must on or before the 8th  
day of NOVEMBER, 1928, send his  
Name and Address and the particulars  
of his Claim and the Name and Address  
of his Solicitors (if any) to the Under-  
signed at No. 1, Des Voeux Road,  
CENTRAL, Hong Kong, in default thereof  
he will be precluded from objecting to  
the proposed Reduction of Capital.  
Dated this 1st day of November, 1928.

**DEACONS,**  
Solicitors to the Company,  
1, Des Voeux Road Central,  
Victoria, Hong Kong. [6936]

## PUBLIC BAND CONCERT.

A PUBLIC BAND CONCERT  
will be given in the  
BOTANIC GARDENS  
on  
FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 9th.  
From 5 to 6 P.M.  
By the Band of the

KING'S OWN SCOTTISH  
BORDERERS

(By kind permission of Lt.-Col.  
L. J. COMY, C.M.G., D.S.O.  
and Officers.)

ADMISSION TO GARDENS FREE.  
50 CENTS to ENCLOSURE.  
[6932]

MACAO CHARITY AND COM-  
MERCIAL FAIR.

**THE Executive Committee** cordially  
requests the pleasure of the  
presence of the General Public at the  
INAUGURAL CEREMONY of the  
FAIR on SATURDAY, 3rd NOVEM-  
BER, 1928, at 9 P.M.

Chm. DUARTE VEIGA,  
Chairman  
[6881]

## INTIMATIONS.

HONG KONG TRAMWAYS,  
LIMITED.

## NOTICE.

**CERTIFICATE No. 5846:** Shares  
Nos. 557571 to 557570 for 100  
Shares of this Company in the Name of  
Mrs. NG YUK CHUN (deceased) has  
been Declared LOST and NOTICE IS  
HEREBY GIVEN that unless the  
said Certificate is produced at this Office  
within 30 Days from the date hereof,  
a Duplicate Certificate for the said  
Shares will be delivered to the Ad-  
ministrators of the Estate and the  
Original Certificate will thereafter be  
deemed CANCELLED and of No  
Effect.

L. C. F. BELLAMY,  
General Manager.  
Hong Kong, 1st Nov., 1928. [5938]

## "THE PEAK MANSIONS"

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## MARRIAGES.

**CLARKE—TOPE.**—On October 2nd, at  
Mombasa, WILLIAM C. CLARKE,  
Kenya Colony, to WINIFRED  
MARGARET, elder daughter of the  
Rev. and Mrs. S. GEORGE TOPE,  
of Canton.

**LAW—WHEELER.**—On October 27th,  
at Shanghai JOHN A. C. LAW,  
son of Mr. and Mrs. JAMES  
LAW of Perth, Scotland, late  
of Shanghai, to ALBERTA JOYCE  
WHEELER, daughter of Mr. and  
Mrs. JAMES WHEELER, daughter  
Mrs. JAMES WHEELER, of Thonet  
House, Pootung, Shanghai.

## GOLDEN WEDDING.

**GALPIN—SWALLOW.**—On October  
10th, 1878, at Manchester, the  
Rev. FREDERICK GALPIN, of  
Ningpo, China, to EMILY  
MARLDA, eldest daughter of the  
late GEORGE SWALLOW, of Man-  
chester.

**Hong Kong Office:** 11, Ice House  
Street.  
**London Office:** 21, Bride Lane,  
Fleet Street, E.C.4.

## The Daily Press.

HONG KONG, NOVEMBER 5th, 1928.

SALVATION ARMY  
FOUNDER'S CENTENARY.

SALVATIONISTS in Great Britain and  
all over the world are about to  
enter the centenary year of WILLIAM  
BOOTH, the Founder of the Salva-  
tion Army and its first General.  
The celebrations will be conducted  
on a scale unparalleled in the  
history of the Army. There will  
be demonstrations in the Crystal  
Palace, the Royal Albert Hall,  
the streets, and in churches,  
theatres, cinemas, halls and in  
almost in every city, town and  
village throughout the land. These  
spectacular efforts will be carried  
out with all the fervour that is  
characteristic of Salvation Army  
"warfare."

WILLIAM BOOTH was born at Not-  
tingham on April 10th, 1829. In  
1865 he was ordained a minister  
of the Methodist Church, but, fired  
with tremendous zeal this pioneer

of a new Order, despairing of con-  
ventional methods to reach the  
masses, deliberately cut himself  
adrift from his denomination. Sup-  
ported only by the loyalty and in-  
spiration of his wife he went forth  
like a modern John the Baptist  
into the East End of London to  
call on men and women to repent.

In pursuit of his mission WILLIAM  
BOOTH discovered that preaching  
was not enough, that Christianity  
had a practical aspect, and that  
to achieve his full purpose he must  
provide the loaves and fishes for the  
hungry multitude, and find work  
for those who were cast on the scrap  
heap of industry. Thus the social  
work of Army was inaugurated, and  
the movement became the hope  
of the "bottom dog." To-day the  
Salvation Army is established in  
83 countries and colonies, and its  
message is spoken in 67 languages  
by about 130,000 officers, commissioned  
and non-commissioned.

The centenary year will be  
marked by great advances by the  
Army at home and abroad. General  
BRAMWELL BOOTH, whose state of  
health, we regret to hear, is just  
now "causing some anxiety, con-  
sidering that the most fitting tribute  
to the memory of his father can  
best be expressed by extension and  
expansion of the work to which the  
Army's Founder devoted his life.  
The opening of the new Train-  
ing College erected at Denmark  
Hill, London, at a cost of nearly  
£300,000 will be an outstanding  
event of the celebrations. One of  
WILLIAM BOOTH's dreams was to be  
the Founder of what he called a  
"University of Humanity," and  
although the new college may not  
cover the full scope of this ideal  
General BRAMWELL BOOTH and Mrs.  
BOOTH have ensured that it will be  
run on lines that will give men  
and women mental equipment and  
spiritual inspiration that should  
carry them a long way.

From England alone 700 officers  
will be added to the Salvation  
Army in the Centenary Year, and  
as many more from other lands,  
while over 100 of the best officers  
in England are to be despatched  
to the mission fields overseas in  
India, China, Korea and elsewhere.  
Millions of pamphlets will be dis-  
tributed containing the most start-  
ling sayings of WILLIAM BOOTH.  
There will be processions in the  
streets, and demonstrations in  
theatres and halls everywhere, and  
also in the open air. "Some of  
the wilder methods of the Salvation  
Army of the early days are likely  
to come to light again," Commis-  
sioner KURZEN, a prominent officer  
at the London Headquarters, told  
an interviewer the other day; and  
he indicated that one of the main  
spectacles of the street propaganda  
would be a set piece, entitled "The  
trial, conviction and execution of  
the devil." It is understood that  
the effigy of his Dusky Highness  
will be given to the flames in ap-  
proved Fifth of November form.

On Friday, two cases of small-  
pox, one of diphtheria and one of  
enteric, all Chinese, were reported.

Mr. E. L. Agassis has been re-  
appointed Official Receiver in Bank-  
ruptcy with effect from November  
1st.

The name of the China Mining  
and Metal Co., Ltd., has been  
struck off the register of com-  
panies.

The name of George Evan Rowan,  
L.R.C.P., M.R.C.S., 80, Peel Street,  
Hong Kong, has been added to the  
register of medical practitioners in  
the Colony.

The Rev. E. J. Bentley, recently  
lecturer in Theology at Yenching  
University, Peking, is joining the  
staff of St. Mary's, Colchester, as  
curate-in-charge of Berechurch.

The record of rainfall during  
October, as measured at the Botanic  
Gardens shows a small fall of 37  
inches on the 4th and a "speck  
of rain" (0.1 inch) on the 2nd.  
The rest of the month was "bone  
dry."

Mr. J. K. Shaw, of Messrs.  
Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd., has  
been appointed Hon. Treasurer of  
the local Poppy Day Fund in place  
of Mr. W. Brackenridge, and all  
donations should be sent to him.

The entertainment at the Crai-  
gower Cricket Club on Satur-  
day night was a great success,  
thanks to a very energetic band of  
workers who looked after the com-  
fort of the guests. Over a hundred  
persons sat down to dinner and  
took part in an enjoyable dance  
which followed. Souvenirs were  
presented during the interval to  
the lawn bowls players who did so  
well during the season.

It is notified that Barker Road  
is not open to motor traffic without  
a special permit and that patients  
wishing to reach the Victoria Hos-  
pital by car should either proceed  
there by ambulance or apply to the  
Traffic Office, Police Headquarters,  
for a permit for the car which is  
required to take the patient to the  
hospital. In all cases where per-  
mits are issued speed along Barker  
Road must not exceed eight miles  
per hour.

The winter programme of lectures  
at the Royal United Service In-  
stitution, Whitehall, includes one  
on November 28th, "The Work of  
the British Navy in the Far East,"  
by Captain L. D. I. MacKinnon,  
R.N., and another on December  
19th, "Japan's Position in the Far  
East," by Sadao Saburi, Chargé  
d'Affaires, Japanese Embassy. At  
the first Admiral Sir George Hope  
will preside and at the second Field-  
Marshal Lord Allenby.

We are very glad to welcome as  
new members of the Church Body  
Mr. Justice Jacks and Lieut.-Col.  
W. F. Christian who have taken  
the places of Lieut.-Col. F. Hayley  
Bell and Mr. T. W. Ainsworth.  
We are most grateful to these re-  
tiring members for their services  
to the Cathedral in the past and  
we regret that Mr. Ainsworth's  
retirement was necessitated by ill-  
health. We hope his leave will soon  
restore him.—St. John's Cathedral Notes.

As from January 1st, 1929, no  
Emergency Certificate of National-  
ity, or police permit to leave the  
Colony will be issued to British  
subjects or non-British subjects for  
travel to any non-British territory.  
All British subjects more especially  
Indians who intend to travel to  
other places after their arrival in  
Hong Kong should obtain passports in  
their country of origin as the  
Hong Kong Passport Office will not  
issue passports to persons who are  
not domiciled in Hong Kong with-  
out previous reference to their coun-  
try of origin.

There is a considerable deficit on  
the working account of Cathedral  
Notes. It is earnestly hoped that  
all who have been receiving these  
books during 1928 and have not  
already paid any contribution to-  
wards the expenses of printing, etc.,  
will kindly send in, without delay,  
their subscriptions or a donation.  
These should be sent with names  
and addresses either—To Mr. H.  
V. Parker (Hon. Treasurer), Hong  
Kong and Shanghai Bank, the  
Women's Guild, St. John's Cathed-  
ral Hall, or may be placed in the  
box marked "Cathedral Notes" at  
the west door of the Cathedral.—  
St. John's Cathedral Notes.

Mr. E. Laporte, Chief Brother  
for China of the Theosophists, has  
received a circular "Armistice Day"  
message from Dr. Annie Besant in  
the course of which she states:—The  
final renunciation of War in the  
settling of human disputes is being  
gravely hindered to-day by the  
nations of the world. It is the  
burning question of the hour and  
must be solved. Will not you help?  
Make this week a period of har-  
mony filled with longing for human  
brotherhood and permanent peace.  
On November 11th at 11 o'clock,  
please hold during the Great  
Silence the thoughts of this prayer:  
O Hidden Life of God, outside  
which nothing can exist; help us  
to see Thee in the face of our  
enemies and to love Thee in them.  
So shall Thy Peace spread over  
our world, and Thy Will shall at  
last be done on Earth as it is done  
in Heaven.

The dangers into which American  
slang may take unwary European  
feet are illustrated by an article  
which has just appeared in the  
*Osservatore Romano*, the organ of  
the Vatican. This paper deplores  
"the paganism which is succeeding  
Christianity" to-day in countries  
like America, and offers as proof  
of brutality and callousness the fact  
that at the Dempsey-Tunney fight  
at Philadelphia, "when Dempsey  
was knocked prostrate by the blows  
of his adversary, a hundred thou-  
sand partisans of the winner jump-  
ed to their feet yelling 'Kill him!  
Kill him!' The assumption that  
any of these persons really desired  
the death of Dempsey is, of course,  
wildly mistaken. The cries of 'Kill  
him' were uttered before Dempsey  
fell, not afterwards, and they meant  
only 'Knock him out.' At base-  
ball games, it is true, one of the  
commonest cries in the crowd is  
'Kill the umpire!' but this is only  
a bit of American humour, as  
typical for overstatement as is that  
of Great Britain for understatement.  
'Kill the umpire!' means only,  
'I wish to express my dissent  
from his latest ruling.'

The Repulse Bay Hotel held their  
first Carnival dinner and dance this  
autumn on Saturday evening. A  
large number of guests attended  
and voted the affair a great suc-  
cess.

The National City Company of  
New York is putting between  
\$5,000,000 and \$10,000,000, in as-  
sociation with the Pacific National  
Company of Seattle, into the Boe-  
ing Air Transport Company. The  
object of this move is to establish  
a complete transcontinental air  
service across the United States.

In view of the anti-Japanese  
feeling prevalent and the fear that  
any demonstration may be made the  
occasion of an outbreak against  
Japanese, the Shanghai Municipal  
Council is reported to have refused  
permission for a lantern procession  
on November 11th, the coronation  
of the Japanese Emperor. This  
decision has caused great disap-  
pointment to Japanese in Shang-  
hai, as preparations have long been  
under way for a gallant parade  
through the streets. Further re-  
presentations are being made in the  
Council and the Commissioner of  
Police.

On November 11th there will be  
no Matins at the Cathedral at 11  
a.m. Holy Communion (Plain)  
will be at 8 a.m. and a special  
memorial service will be held at  
9.45 a.m. This service will be at-  
tended by H.E. the Officer Adminis-  
trating the Government, representa-  
tives of all the official bodies and  
of the forces, Ex-Service men, etc.  
The service will last until 10.30  
a.m. after which His Excellency  
will lay a wreath on the Cathedral  
War Memorial, and the company  
will then proceed to the Cenotaph.  
The Dean will preach at this service.  
—St. John's Cathedral Notes.

Lane, Crawford's first dinner  
dance of the season was given in  
their restaurant on Saturday night.  
It proved a most enjoyable even-  
ing and a large number of people  
were present. After most of the  
diners had finished the very palat-  
able meal provided the lights were  
partly dimmed and dancing con-  
tinued merrily in pleasantly colour-  
ed illumination. The floor was in  
capital condition and the band was  
playing some of the latest music.  
It is hoped to hold these functions  
every Saturday evening during the  
winter months. One of the attrac-  
tions on Saturday was the licence  
extension till 1 a.m.

When the new Richmond Ice Club  
opens its doors this month Lon-  
doners will have an opportunity at  
last of witnessing international ice-  
hockey matches and international  
skating speed contests. Ice-hockey  
teams are coming from Canada,  
France, Holland, Belgium and Ger-  
many to compete with the best ice  
in England, who will be selected  
from the form shown in trial matches in  
which Oxford University, Cam-  
bridge University, and the old  
Prince's Club team will take part.  
Since the closing of the old Prince's  
Club Londoners had no opportunity  
of indulging in indoor ice-skating  
until the opening a year ago of the  
Grosvenor Ice Club, Manchester  
being the only city in the kingdom  
to offer facilities for the sport. Rich-  
mond's new rink, however, will be  
the largest indoor rink in the world,  
for it will give eight laps to the  
mile and accommodate a thousand  
skaters at one and the same time.  
It will be open from 9 a.m. to 11  
p.m. continuously, with the excep-  
tion of two breaks of half an hour  
each.

In view of the undeniable tension  
between local and national loyalties  
which has existed among the Chi-  
nese living in British possessions  
in Malaysia during the past few  
years, the *Straits Times* says, it is  
pleasant to come upon evidence  
that at least one British adminis-  
tration need have no doubt as to  
the cordiality of its Chinese popula-  
tion. On the occasion of Rajah  
Brooke's birthday the Chinese com-  
munity of Kuching presented His  
Highness with a lengthy address  
which makes interesting reading.

The Chinese community note with  
gratification, this document reads,  
"that great progress has been made  
in the country since Your Highness  
succeeded to the Raj in 1917. Strife  
among the native communities has  
entirely ceased, and not only has the  
country developed commercially,  
but the communities have enjoyed  
many more of the resources of  
civilisation. Communications by  
sea with Singapore have vastly im-  
proved, and the system of communi-  
cation by wireless telegraph has  
also been developed to perfection.  
We also note with gratitude the  
introduction of electricity for light  
and power, which is an incalcul-  
able boon to the city, and we also  
view with immense satisfaction the  
proposal of Your Highness to open  
up the country with roads, which  
we consider will be of great benefit  
to trade and to the community  
generally." Tolerance, a strict  
impartiality, and a firm but pro-  
gressive policy are named as charac-  
teristics of the Sarawak adminis-  
tration, and enthusiasts for democ-  
racy will note with interest that  
though the authors of this address  
live under an absolute monarchy—  
limited only by the acceptance of  
British protection—they yet declare  
that every person in the State of  
Sarawak can claim that he enjoys  
freedom in the fullest sense of the  
word. "Coming as it does from the  
Chinese community, this tribute is  
one of which the ruling family in  
Sarawak may well be proud."

## MACAO FAIR.

BUILDINGS STILL BEING  
ERECTED

## CHARITY AND COMMERCE.

The Macao Charity and Commer-  
cial Fair, when it was opened on  
Saturday night still presented a  
somewhat unfinished appearance.  
There seems to have been a certain  
amount of hesitation, on the part  
of the firms represented, to start  
the erection of their pavilions  
until they were assured that others  
also intended to put up demon-  
stration buildings. In consequence  
building is still going on, and  
indeed it would not be unjust to  
say that the larger part of the Fair  
was not to be seen on the opening  
day. Even the cabaret in which  
dancing was taking place on Satur-  
day night was still resounding to  
the noise of hammers.

But enough has been done to  
show that when completed, and the  
work is going forward with haste  
truly feverish in this land of "the  
day after to-morrow," the Macao  
Fair will not only be well worth  
visiting as a place of amusement  
and instruction, but will have ful-  
filled the aim of the organisers  
in showing how an admirable trade  
centre can be found in Macao.

The object of the Fair is two-  
fold as the name suggests. Macao's  
position makes it sort of Mecca  
for refugees from China proper and  
to provide for these homeless and  
destitute persons is a very heavy  
tax on the Colony. The oldest  
benevolent society in the Far East,  
the Santa Casa da Misericordia, is  
to profit by the taking of the Fair  
as in past years, and it is in the  
hope of raising a considerable  
amount of money for this worthy  
object, that the organisers have  
provided an amusement park, in-  
cluding swing boats, merry-go-round  
wheel, a lake for boating and  
pavilion for dancing.

The commercial aspect has not,  
however, been lost sight of, and  
the many pavilions erected by both  
Occidental and Oriental firms proves  
that their representatives are sure  
of finding Macao a profitable centre.

## The Pavilions.

Of the pavilions already erected  
perhaps that of the Macao Electric  
Light Company is the most strik-  
ing with its severe classical style  
of architecture. The E.A.T. have  
also a fine pavilion, and the  
Green Island Cement Co., Messrs.  
Watsons, the Singer Sewing  
Machine Co., the Foot East  
Hosiery Co., and Thompsons Mal-  
diced Milk Co. are well represented.  
Most of the buildings are of mat-  
shed, but they are constructed and  
painted with a great deal of in-  
genuity and, when finished, the  
Fair ground should present a most  
interesting spectacle.

## The Macao Pavilion.

A large pavilion representing  
Macao contains examples of all the  
various trades carried out in the  
port. Glassware, pottery, pro-  
visions, furniture, dress materials,  
foot wear, and objects d'art are all  
on exhibition there and for sale at  
reasonable prices.  
It was, however, the various  
lottery pavilions which appeared to  
be attracting most of the people  
yesterday. A distinct advance has  
been made, however, on the "gam-  
bling for prizes" and nearly all the  
articles are well worth a flutter.  
It is impossible to say what the  
Macao Fair will be like in a fort-  
night's time. It is at present dis-  
appointing, but it is far from being  
finished and every day should see  
great improvements. It must be  
remembered that even Wembley  
disappointed a great many early  
visitors for exactly the same reason  
that it was open before it was com-  
pleted.

## FIRE BRIGADE SUMMONSES.

At 12.15 a.m. yesterday morning  
the Kowloon Fire Brigade received  
a summons from the Sanitary  
Office, Yau-ma-tei, and on arriving  
found the coolies' matched ablaze.  
The fire had already got a strong  
hold and nothing could be done  
except to let it burn out and pre-  
vent any further damage.

Again at 9.45 p.m. the Kowloon  
Station received a call from the  
fire alarm at the junction of Jordan  
Road and Ritt Street. It turned  
out to be a false alarm.

## At Hong Kong.

At 8.45 p.m. last night the Cen-  
tral Fire Brigade at Hong Kong  
were also sent in answer to a  
summons to a house in Newmarket  
Street, near Western Market. The  
fire appears to have started by the  
explosion of a gas pipe. On the  
arrival of the Brigade the fire was  
soon extinguished.

## WEATHER REPORT.



**FULL DISARMAMENT CONFERENCE.**

MEETING OF ALL THE LEADERS.

CHANG HSUEH LIANG INVITED.

(Wah Tai Yat Pao).

SHANGHAI, Nov. 4th.

An important resolution has been decided upon by the Nationalist leaders including Marshal Chiang Kai Shek, Li Tsai Hain and Feng Yu Hsiang and General Ho Ying Ching at a high conference in Nanking, concerning the disarmament problem. As a result a national disarmament conference will be held towards the end of the lunar year. Invitations will be extended to all leading militarists throughout the country to attend the conference.

The discussions at the conference will mainly centre round troop disarmament, reorganisation of the national army, military training, and other kindred problems.

Following the adoption of the resolution Marshal Chiang Kai Shek has wired to General Yen Hui Shan and General Chang Hsiang Liang requesting them to attend the coming disarmament conference.

**DUTCH MINISTER AT NANKING.**

(Wah Tai Yat Pao).

SHANGHAI, Nov. 4th.

The Dutch Minister, who has recently arrived at Nanking, said in an interview that in his opinion the city of Nanking was geographically better qualified as the capital of China than Peking. The foreign Diplomatic Corps were generally inclined to transfer their Legations to Nanking but owing to the lack of proper quarters in Nanking they were unable to do so at present.

As regards to the problem of treaty revision between China and Holland, he stated that Holland was the first nation which established commercial relations with China. The commercial treaty had by now become obsolete and both nations were eager to revise it. His present journey to Nanking was solely for the purpose of consulting with Dr. C. T. Wang regarding a proper date for holding the negotiations.

**LOAN NEGOTIATIONS.**

(Wah Tai Yat Pao).

SHANGHAI, Nov. 4th.

According to Mr. Sun Fo's statement, there has not yet been any official loan negotiation with Great Britain and the United States. The Central Government has taken the decision that before proceeding with this matter, the consolidation of internal finances and the establishment of international credits must be sought.

**CONTROL OF CUSTOMS.**

(Wah Tai Yat Pao).

SHANGHAI, Nov. 4th.

The Nanking Ministry of Finance has established a department in full control of Customs affairs. The Nanking authorities have instructed Mr. Edwards, the Inspector-General of Chinese Customs, to receive orders from it.

**SHANSI PLAGUE REPORTS.**

[FROM A SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.]

PEIPING, Nov. 4th. Foreigners just returned from Taiyuanfu state that Chinese reports of plague in Shansi are much exaggerated. Bubonic plague undoubtedly exists, but the deaths are nothing like as great as was reported. The authorities anticipate that they will soon suppress the outbreak.

**SCOTS GUARDS AT TIENTSIN.**

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

TIENTSIN, Nov. 24th.

The Second Scots Guards arrived this afternoon, and a large crowd turned out to welcome the troops as they marched from the station to their quarters. The First East Yorks left for Hong Kong this morning.

**PANGALOS AGAIN IN PRISON.**

MANSLAUGHTER CHARGE.

SHOTS AT MOCKING CROWD.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

ATHENS, Nov. 3rd.

General Pangalos, whose release was one of M. Venizelos' first acts on his reappearance in the political arena, is again in gaol.

General Pangalos, who is charged with manslaughter, is accused of firing from the balcony of his political headquarters at the crowds which jeered at him on the eve of the last elections. Two among those wounded in the crowd died.

Although the others arrested on the same charge were allowed bail, the council of the Court of First Instance ruled that General Pangalos be kept in prison, but it is considered that he will eventually be allowed.

**AGRICULTURAL POLICY OF ITALY.**

HUGE MARCH OF PEASANTS.

MUSSOLINI'S STIRRING ADDRESS.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

ROME, Nov. 4th.

Among the demonstrations in connection with the tenth anniversary of the Italo-Austrian armistice now being celebrated has been a march to the capital of two great processions of peasants, one of 40,000 and the other of 25,000 from every part of Italy with bands.

Signor Mussolini in a stirring address confirmed his intention of concentrating upon the development of agricultural interests instead of the urban policy hitherto followed. He has arranged to gather the agriculturists again at Rome on November 3rd, 1934.

**FRENCH RADICAL PARTY.**

AN IMPORTANT CONGRESS.

GOVERNMENT MEASURES OPPOSED.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

ANGERS, Nov. 4th.

Unusual importance is attached to the annual congress of the Radical Socialist party to-day, because the section is credited with scheming the downfall of the Poincaré Government. The congress will decide whether the mandate to its Ministers in the Cabinet shall continue.

All the leaders were present, including M. Herriot and three other Cabinet Ministers. The president of the party, M. Daladier, in his opening address adopted the attitude of sitting on the fence, and recommended *inter alia* the enforcement of anti-clerical legislation and the elimination of articles 70 and 71 from the budget proposals. He criticised the Government's foreign policy and asserted that the party should withhold its support from the Government if it was not prepared to carry out the minimum programme he outlined. In this case the Radical Ministers should retire.

**Poincaré's Ultimatum.**

M. Poincaré has told the Finance Commission of the Chamber that he objected to its amendments to the budget. He declared that if the budget were not passed in its present state before the end of the year, he would leave to the others the task of achieving financial restoration.

**JAPANESE FISHING CONCERNS.**

AGREEMENT WITH SOVIET.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

MOSCOW, Nov. 4th.

Agreements have been signed granting to Japanese fishing concerns the right to work the existing preserving works in Kamchatka.

**THE WORLD'S DRAUGHTS CHAMPION.**

DUTCHMAN'S TRIUMPH.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

AMSTERDAM, Nov. 3rd.

A Dutchman, Heer Springer, has won the world's draughts championship, concluded to-day.

**WING ON TO BUILD IN NANKING.**

FINE NEW STORE, HOTELS AND CINEMAS.

NANKING, Oct. 30th.

Upon the invitation of Mr. Liu Chi Wen, Mayor of Nanking, the proprietors of the Wing On Co. in Shanghai have completed their plans to open a \$50,000,000 department store in the Nationalist Capital. The skyscraper store will be the most ambitious one of the chain of department stores owned by the wealthy Cantonese merchants and one of the finest in the Far East. The building will be erected near Hua Pei Lou, or the central section of the city.

An hotel very much like the Majestic Hotel of Shanghai will be also shortly built in Nanking. In fact, the name of this new hotel will be the same as the Chinese name of the Majestic, Ta Hua, meaning Great China. Two motion picture houses are also under construction.

In view of the fact that it is not quite certain how the new city will be laid out, and owing to a report that property owners will be heavily taxed by the city authorities, few of the wealthy merchants have so far dared to make heavy investments in the Nationalist capital, although they are all anxious to start some form of business. There is not the slightest fear in their mind that their business propositions here will not be profit making, if they can be given some sort of a guarantee that their buildings will be let alone when the new capital, and that they may not be too exorbitantly taxed by the local officials. It is understood that an arrangement has been made between Mr. Liu, the Mayor, and four big business corporations, and that the merchants have found the terms entirely satisfactory.—*Reuter*.

**BOROUGH COUNCIL ELECTIONS.**

BIG TRIUMPH FOR LABOUR.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, Nov. 3rd.

The final results of the London Municipal Elections show that out of 28 Boroughs, Municipal Reformers retain a majority on 18, Labour on 3, the progressive one and there has been one tie between Labour and Anti-Labour.

The gains and losses compared with the last elections were: Municipal Reformers 8 gains and 10 losses; Labour 3 gains and 18 losses; progressives 33 gains and 18 losses; independent 1 gain and no losses.

**JAPAN'S CORONATION PRECAUTIONS.**

MARKED MEN DETAINED.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

TOKYO, Nov. 3rd.

The vernacular papers report that over a thousand radicals have been arrested as a precautionary measure and will be detained until the Emperor's enthronement ceremonies are over.

While the Police state that the report is greatly exaggerated, it is freely rumoured that the authorities contemplate placing many hundreds of men, whose names are on the black lists, under temporary detention for the purpose of guarding against possible incidents at the time of the enthronement.

**LABOUR OUTRAGES IN AUSTRALIA.**

REIGN OF TERROR.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

MELBOURNE, Nov. 3rd.

Crowds of unionists have intimidated carters at the wharves and prevented delivery of goods to ships.

The Chief Commissioner of Police declares that no half measures will be used in dealing with violence. Business men at the port state that a reign of terror prevails in the district.

The Prime Minister, Mr. Bruce, declares that the waterfront outrages constitute a challenge to the Australian people.

**MEDIEVAL TORTURE IN MEXICO.**

POLICE METHODS DESCRIBED.

OBREGON'S MURDERER ON TRIAL.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

SAN ANGELO, Mexico, Nov. 3rd.

The trial of Jose de Leon Toral for murdering the President Elect of Mexico, General Obregon, was opened close to the scene of the crime, the Mother Superior Maria Concepcion being jointly tried on a charge of being Toral's accomplice. The public interest has been so great that arrangements have been made to wireless and broadcast the proceedings.

Toral, examined by counsel, said the killing of Obregon was a "Mission of God." He declared that he did not know exactly what the result would bring, but he was confident it would help the cause of the controversy in Mexico between the State and the Roman Catholic Church.

**Terrible Tortures.**

Toral told the jury that after his arrest the police tortured him in an effort to drag from him a confession that others were implicated. The tortures included suspension by his thumbs and stretching his body on an improvised rack, which he was able to endure "by the grace of God." As he was hanging one thumb slipped and he was left hanging by the other. Later he was hung up with a rope round his chest so that he could scarcely breathe. The police deny these allegations.

**FAILURE OF RICE CROP.**

CENTRAL CHINA FACING STARVATION.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

SHANGHAI, Nov. 3rd.

Reports on the crops have been coming in from almost every one of the eighteen provinces of China Proper indicating an increasingly bad forecast and pointing to the possibilities of terrible conditions in the coming winter.

The staple food of rice has suffered particularly on account of the widespread drought. The Wholesale Rice Dealers' Association of Shanghai states that the crops of the following provinces are below the average good crop to the extent quoted:—

Province.	Percentage below Average.
Kiangsu	60
Anhui	50
Chekiang	40
Kiangsi	40
Honan	40
Hunan	30

The same Association estimates the total crop at approximately 51,000,000 piculs or 5,400,000 short tons.

It is estimated that the normal rice crop of the six mentioned provinces is 15,000,000 tons. Therefore a serious shortage of food is to be expected over an area of at least 400,000 square miles with a population of nearly 200,000,000 people, most of whom are normally living very closely to the starvation line.

**ENGLAND'S NEW CURRENCY NOTES.**

BANK OF ENGLAND ISSUE.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, Nov. 3rd.

It is announced that a new Act vesting in the Bank of England the sole right to issue legal tender notes in the United Kingdom will come into operation on November 2nd.

This is preliminary to the issue of one pound and ten shillings notes by the Bank to replace £25,000,000 Treasury notes now in circulation. It is understood that the Bank's £1 notes will be green and the 10/- notes red.

**SALVATION ARMY LEADER.**

ANXIETY FOR GENERAL BOOTH.

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

RUGBY, Nov. 2nd.

General Bramwell Booth, the head of the Salvation Army, is ill. His doctors have issued the following bulletin:—"General Booth is suffering from nervous prostration, and his condition gives rise to some anxiety. It is essential that he has complete rest from all work for several months, and this will, we hope, ensure his complete recovery."

**CHINESE PRINCESSES IN JAPAN.**

RAISING CHICKENS AT A VILLA NEAR BEPPU.

Former Princess An Ching, 20 years old, and her younger sister, An Ching, 18, granddaughters of former Prince Su, one of the most powerful princes in the last days of the Ching Dynasty of China, were found leading a quiet life in a villa in Mato-ga-hama, Beppu, reports the *Osaka Mainichi*. They are under the guardianship of Lieutenant-Colonel Takeshi Goto, retired, formerly military adviser to Prince Su, and are raising chickens in the grounds of the villa.

Recently, the two sisters went to Tokyo to meet their father as well as "Miss Yoshiko Kawashima," their aunt, who is a daughter of Prince Su, now in Tokyo. They wear Japanese kimono, and live like Japanese, so much so that a casual observer would not readily notice any difference between them and ordinary Japanese women of their age. It is understood that the two young women intend to become naturalized as Japanese subjects.

Their presence in Japan since July this year has been kept a secret with the help of the police of Beppu, at the request of Lieutenant-Colonel Goto, in order to avoid many possible callers, as they or their family are well-known to many persons in Japan.

Their father, former Prince Hsien Tu, son of Prince Su, is now staying in Tokyo, trying to sell some of the curios in his possession.

**UNIVERSITY ARTS ASSOCIATION.**

SATURDAY'S SUCCESSFUL FUNCTION.

PLAY IN BLANK VERSE BY CHINESE LADIES.

The Arts Association of the Hong Kong University gave their annual social function at the Great Hall of the University on Saturday night. Nearly 700 guests were present, including His Excellency the Hon. Mr. W. T. Southern, C.M.G., and Mrs. Southern.

Mr. Lung Ting Wong, Chairman of the Association, having made a brief speech of welcome two plays were presented by the students. The first was Clifford Bar's "The Peacemakers of Ispahan," given by seven of the Chinese women students. This delightful little fantasy tells how the Persian Princess, Silver Moon, was wooed and won. The suitors had to produce a poem and ten pieces of silver. The silver is not much better to most of them, but the poem is the very diadem, and the Princess's father is a pedant. There is, however, a humble pennant, who can write poems like Omar himself, but hasn't got any silver. How he gets it, by making fair copies of his rival's doggeral and then double crosses them is the subject of the play.

It was acted with very fair skill, especially considering that it is all in blank verse, which the young players certainly found harder than everyday speech. A feature of the production was the really beautiful setting of the palace courtyard in ancient Ispahan, which had been most skilfully painted by Mr. R. S. W. Paterson, M.C. Following the interval, the men gave a farce, by Thomas Williams, entitled "My Turn Next." It deals with complications in a chemist's shop and the marrying off of the old proprietor's daughter. It was performed in the proper bustling manner, and the players evidently enjoyed themselves as well as amusing the audience.

Quite a feature of the evening were the songs given by Mrs. Bowes-Smith, which were in the nature of a prologue to the two plays.

Professor R. M. Simpson, M.A., M.C., directed the dramatic part. Mr. Huang Tsun Ming prepared the program and Mr. Lam Tung, B.A., wrote the synopsis in Chinese of the two plays.

**The Committee.**

The Committee of the Arts Association are as follows:—President, Mr. H. G. Hughes, M.A.; Hon. Vice-President, The Vice-Chancellor, Rt. Rev. Bishop of Victoria, Mr. H. A. Wood, LL.B.; Vice-President, Professor W. J. Hinton, M.A.; Professor R. M. Simpson, M.A., M.C.; Mr. Yuen Kwok Kuen, B.A.; Chairman, Lung Tin Tong; Vice-Chairman, Tao Ting Kau; Hon. Secretary, Lo Chi Chiu; Hon. Treasurer, Lee Pui Tong; Hon. Auditor, Mrs. W. Faid, B.Sc.

The Decoration Committee were: Messrs. Tan Cheng Lock, Huang Tsun Ming, Sung Hang Chee, John Pau, Cheung King Pak, S. V. Gittins.

Reception Committee:—Messrs. Tsui Hung Kee, Chan Yi Tsung, Ip Kun Im, Kwan Im Chor, Tan Gim Ann, Chan Fung Kee, and Misses Rosie Kwok, Chan Ying, Elsie Wong, Julia Lam, Jiamie Ho.

**THE COST OF THE PRESIDENCY.**

OVER \$9,000,000 SPENT.

MRS. SMITH'S CLOTHES.

[REUTER'S AMERICAN SERVICE.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 3rd.

The Republican and Democratic parties together have received nearly \$9,000,000 to further the causes of Hoover and Smith for the Presidency. The Republican national committee reports receipts of \$4,912,000, and expenses of \$4,744,000, while the Democratic party's receipts are \$4,089,000 and expenses \$4,008,000.

Experts however declare that this is only a fraction of the total throughout the country not only on behalf of the candidates but for all election purposes.

**The Women's Vote.**

A notable fact of the presidential campaign is that not for many years have the opposing parties talked so little of foreign affairs and so much of home ones. Public discussion has concentrated on internal problems.

It is considered that two things weigh heavily with women voters, firstly prohibition and secondly Mrs. Smith. Many women pay tribute to her personal qualities, but do not consider that she is worthy to represent the country whose women attach much more importance than men to dress, speech and social amenities.

**INDIAN QUARTERMASTER CONVICTED.**

THEFT ON BOARD S.S. "CEDARBANK."

Shikh Mahomed, the Indian quartermaster on board the a.s. *Cedarbank*, was convicted of larceny and sentenced to two months' hard labour by Mr. W. Scofield at the Kowloon Magistracy on Saturday morning.

Mr. Thirwood, the Chief Officer of the *Cedarbank*, appeared as complainant.

The defendant was accused of having stolen a cheque for G.\$3.50, and a ring of keys from the complainant's cabin.

Sergt. Humphries who was in charge of the case informed his Worship that complaints of theft had been made on board for a long time.

When formally charged the defendant admitted the theft but pleaded insanity.

He was later examined by the medical officer who found this.

The Magistrate found the defendant guilty and imposed the above sentence.

**RAILWAY TUNNEL FATALITY.**

The body of a Chinese woman was found early yesterday morning at the entrance of No. 3 Railway Tunnel. Detective Inspector Fallon and his squad of Chinese detectives were soon on the spot, and murder was at first suspected. However, late last night the police had found the relatives of the deceased who identified the body at the Kowloon Mortuary, and it is now believed that the woman was accidentally killed by a train.

**SUSPECTED MURDER.**

A Chinese who was arrested in connection with the finding of the body of a Chinese behind the Kowloon Hospital was before Mr. W. Scofield at the Kowloon Magistracy.

Detective Inspector Fallon who was in charge of the case was granted a week's formal remand. Two Chinese who were also charged with the possession of daggers were before Mr. W. Scofield and the hearing was fixed at 2.15 p.m. on November 6th.

**THE ARCHBISHOP HONOURED.**

SEAT IN THE HOUSE OF LORDS.

REASONS FOR RETIREMENT.

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

RUGBY, Nov. 3rd.

The general satisfaction at the conferment by H.M. the King of a barony upon the Archbishop of Canterbury is reflected in to-day's press comments. The honour is obviously intended to ensure that, after the Archbishop's retirement this month, the country and the House of Lords will still retain his services as a distinguished statesman of long experience. The fact that this has been achieved by the conferment of a barony, which is the lowest rank carrying with it a seat in the second chamber, is generally attributed to the expressed desire of the Archbishop himself. He has no heir to inherit the title. Although he already has a title, being Knight Grand Cross of the Royal Victorian Order, Doctor Davidson has never used the prefix Sir or Mrs. Davidson that of Lady.

The Archbishop in a recent speech disposed emphatically of the suggestion made in some quarters that he was resigning on account of recent events in Parliament. The true reason, he stated as follows, "I do not believe as a man who has almost reached eighty-one years of age that I am adequately and rightly fit and have the vigour required to carry on day and night the duties that belong to my office. I do not profess to be a completely worn-out man or to be either mentally or physically incapable of tackling any particular task, but I am no longer as fit as I was some years ago to carry out duties which are of such an onerous, persistent and exacting sort. It is for that reason alone that I have resigned my office into younger hands. I think I have done the right thing, for the leadership of the church and the nation's affairs should not be in the hands of men who are too old." A national tribute to Doctor Davidson is to be paid on his retirement, when the fund subscribed from every part of Britain and the Empire is to be handed over to him. He will deliver his farewell address in Canterbury Cathedral to-morrow night, which will be relayed by all the stations of the British Broadcasting Corporation. His successor will be Doctor Cosmo Gordon Lang whose Archbishopric of York is to be filled by Doctor Temple, the present Bishop of Manchester.

**BRITISH RECORD ATTEMPT.**

PLANE TRAVELS 345 M.P.H.

FINAL TRIALS.

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

RUGBY, Nov. 3rd.

Flight-Lieutenant Darcy Greig, who hopes to make an attack on the air speed record at Calshot, made final trial flight in his Supermarine N.250 this morning. He remained in the air for over twenty-two minutes, and during dives he reached a speed of 345 miles per hour. If the times as recorded over the course are found on examination to be satisfactory he will apply to the Air Ministry for permission to make an attempt on the record at the first opportunity.

**WOMAN KIDNAPPER SENT TO GAOL.**

The Chinese woman who was charged with kidnapping a Chinese boy, age 7, and taking him to Chinese territory was found guilty by Mr. W. Scofield on Saturday morning and sentenced to one year's hard labour. The accused's husband and two witnesses gave evidence on her behalf, but their statements proved to be contradictory.

Evidence was given for the Crown by a witness who deposed to have seen the accused board the train at Yau-mai with a little boy and alight at Tai-po. The witness said that he knew the defendant.



## LOCAL FOOTBALL.

## K.O.S.B. DEFEAT SOUTH CHINA.

CAPITAL WIN QUEEN'S REGT. AGAINST H.K.F.C.

## SATURDAY'S RESULTS AND THE LEAGUE TABLES.

The games on Saturday resulted as under:—

## HONG KONG LEAGUE.

DIVISION I.			
Queen's Regiment	6	Hong Kong F.C.	1
Club de Recreo	4	Royal Navy	3
R.A.	3	Kowloon F.C.	2
K.O.S.B.	1	South China	0

## DIVISION II.

R.A.F.	7	R.A.	0
Queen's Regt. Res.	3	Club de Rec. Res.	0
K.O.S.B. Res.	4	University	1
St. Joseph's	1	Small Units Res.	1
Eastern	1	South South "A"	1

## FRIENDLY.

Kowloon Reserves	3	R.A.M.C.	0
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## HONG KONG LEAGUE TABLES.

DIVISION I.			
P.	W.	D.	L.
Queen's Regt.	3	5	0
China Athletic	4	3	0
South China	4	3	0
Club de Recreo	4	3	0
H.K. Police	3	2	0
R.O.S.B.	3	2	0
Royal Navy	3	1	0
Kowloon F.C.	4	0	0
Hong Kong F.C.	4	0	0
Small Units	3	0	0

## DIVISION II.

P.	W.	D.	L.
China Ath. Res.	4	4	0
K.O.S.B. Res.	4	4	0
Royal Navy Res.	4	3	1
Queen's Regt. Res.	5	1	3
Club de Rec. Res.	5	2	1
Kowloon F.C. Res.	4	2	0
St. Joseph's	5	1	2
R.A.F.	3	2	0
South China "A"	5	1	2
University	5	1	0
South China "B"	4	1	0
R.A. Reserves	4	1	0
Small Units Res.	5	0	1

## NOTES ON THE GAMES.

## DIVISION I.

## H.K.F.C. v. QUEEN'S REGT.

This game was played on the H.K.F.C. ground, the teams lining out as under:—

H.K.F.C.—Logan, Wallington and Holt; Massey, J. Stewart and Watson; Alexander, Reed, McBride, Scott and Transbathy.

Queen's—Dodd, Hooper and Sharp; Byrne, Hill and Morris; Hibbert, Richardson, Caner, Barclay and Caldwell.

Referee: L. S. B. A. Atkinson.

The game opened with fast and even play and some wild shooting. Logan was busy in the Club goal, and the defence on both sides had to work hard. There was no score at the interval.

Resuming, the Queen's put on pressure and within a minute, Richardson beating Logan with a fast cross shot, Caldwell sent in a long shot and the ball entered the net being assisted by a defender. Barclay scored the Queen's third goal from a pass by Caldwell.

The Club again got down and McBride scored from close range. Then Logan mistimed a high shot from Caldwell and the ball entered the net. Except for a couple of visits to the Queen's goal, play was confined to the Club half where the home defence were hard pressed. Another goal by Caldwell gave the Queen's the verdict by six goals to one.

The Club did well to hold the Queen's in the opening half. The game was practically won for the Queen's in the first minute of the second half when Richardson scored.

The team work of the Queen's was a treat to watch and their meeting with the China Athletic next week is awaited.

## SOUTH CHINA v. K.O.S.B.

South China—Pau Ka Ping; Lee Ting Sang and Lau Kau; Leung Yin Chin, Pang Wah Hing and Leung Wing Chin; Lai Ting Choy, Fung King Cheung, Leung Wing Tak, Lau Man and Ip Pak Wah.

K.O.S.B.—McDonnell; Harris and Martin; Everett, Davey and Skeggs; Campbell, Stock, Reeves, McElmenny and Alexander.

This match was made two alterations in the team, Harris coming in at right back and Reeves a new arrival to the Colony at Centre-forward.

Reeves had an early try but his shot went over. Keeping on the aggressive Campbell received a long forward pass from Davey and crossing a lovely ball Reeves got possession and opened the scoring with a fast oblique shot. The game was very fast and had to end play continued South China making every

endeavour to draw level but the visitors' defence for whom Harris was showing exceptionally good form was very stout and gave nothing away. Stock and McGlinchey were making it a point to see that Reeves had plenty of the ball and though he always had two or three Chinese round him, his weight carried him through on occasions only to see the ball going over the bar or a brilliant save by Pau Ka Ping.

The game was not all in favour of the Borderers but the South China forwards were weak in front of goal.

The visitors were always dangerous when in the opposing goal area. Reeves giving the defence a lot of trouble with his bustling tactics.

Half-time: South China 0, K.O.S.B. 1.

The resumption again showed some very fast football both ends being visited in turn, the respective defences, however, were tackling and kicking in a confident manner and very little trouble was given to the goalkeepers.

Fouls were frequent but the game throughout was fought in good spirit the referee not allowing any infringement to pass kept a good grip.

Play to the end was fairly even though the Borderers were always more dangerous in front of goal than the home team, the Army men running out winners of a game which did not show the best form of either team.

Result: South China 0, K.O.S.B. 1.

## R.A. v. KOWLOON.

Played on the Railway ground, the teams lining out as under:—

R.A.—Fletcher, Oliver, and Nellis; Oliver, Fuller and Joyce; Woods, Eagles, Maddocks, Hill and Job.

Kowloon—Angus, Guest, and Baldwin; Hedley, Sims and McKelvie; Clemo, Pic, Spary, Miles and Cornwall.

Referee: Mr. Ip Kau Ko.

The game was evenly contested but a mistake by the defence towards the close gave the R.A. full points. Kowloon attack was weak, probably due to constant changes in the forward line. Spary opened the score for Kowloon giving Fletcher no chance with a fast shot.

A good movement by the R.A. right wing ended with Eagles beating Angus and making the score one all. Miles and Pic had good chances to put Kowloon ahead but half-time arrived with the score, one all.

Resuming, the play settled in midfield, but a breakaway by Clemo led to Kowloon again taking the lead, Fletcher driving into the net with Fletcher helpless. The Gunners settled down and by good combination got in close to Angus where Maddocks was then two all.

A struggle for the winning goal ended in favour of the R.A. through a misunderstanding Baldwin turned the ball into his own goal.

Reeves had an early try but his shot went over. Keeping on the aggressive Campbell received a long forward pass from Davey and crossing a lovely ball Reeves got possession and opened the scoring with a fast oblique shot. The game was very fast and had to end play continued South China making every

endeavour to draw level but the visitors' defence for whom Harris was showing exceptionally good form was very stout and gave nothing away. Stock and McGlinchey were making it a point to see that Reeves had plenty of the ball and though he always had two or three Chinese round him, his weight carried him through on occasions only to see the ball going over the bar or a brilliant save by Pau Ka Ping.

The game was not all in favour of the Borderers but the South China forwards were weak in front of goal.

The visitors were always dangerous when in the opposing goal area. Reeves giving the defence a lot of trouble with his bustling tactics.

Half-time: South China 0, K.O.S.B. 1.

The resumption again showed some very fast football both ends being visited in turn, the respective defences, however, were tackling and kicking in a confident manner and very little trouble was given to the goalkeepers.

## CLUB DE RECREIO v. ROYAL NAVY.

This game was played at King's Park, the teams lining out as under:—

Club de Recreo—Marques; P. Xavier and Silva Netto; Assumpcao, Remedios and Sousa; B. Goasano, Rosa Pereira, A. Goasano, Ward and Brown.

Royal Navy—Spiera; Cope and Morton; Chawner, Evans and Moss; Van Tromp, Firth, Pomeroy, Main and Stenlake.

Referee: Pipe Major Mackie.

The Recreo attacked from the kick off and Brown centred for Ward to beat Spiera from close range. After this reverse, the Navy played up strongly but Firth missed a chance to level.

Cope was in great form for the Navy at back and Spiera also did well.

Half-time: Recreo 1, Navy 0.

Resuming, the Recreo soon added to their score, Rosa Pereira scoring from a centre by B. Goasano. The Navy forwards then pressed and Firth and Mann scored in quick succession. The Navy were round the Recreo goal but failed to press home their advantage. Then a run and centre by the Recreo's right wing gave A. Goasano a fine opening and he banged the ball into the net giving the Recreo the lead. Another goal to the Recreo, scored by A. Goasano put the issue beyond doubt.

Before the final whistle sounded the Navy scored again, Pomeroy scoring from a pass by Evans.

A Goasano was in form for the home team, having the Navy defence guessing when in possession of the ball.

## DIVISION II.

## K.O.S.B. RES. v. UNIVERSITY.

Played on the Athletic ground and ended in a win for the K.O.S.B. by four goals to one.

But for the good play of Edwards in the University goals, the students would have gone down heavily against a strong military side. Playing with the wind, the K.O.S.B. took the lead early.

Crawley turning in a centre by Craig, Crawley and Hart brought the K.O.S.B. score to 3-0 before half-time.

Crossing over University played up strongly and Candlish scored their only goal. After several corner kicks, the K.O.S.B. added to their score through Crawley, the result being, K.O.S.B. 4, University 1.

Small Units Res. v. St. Joseph's.

The Small Units gained their first league point against St. Joseph's on the College ground and on the run of the play should have secured full points. Before the interval, the Small Units took the lead through Williamson but a penalty against the Small Units levelled the score.

Time was called with the score, one all.

Eastern v. South China "A".

Played on the Navy ground and ended in a draw of one all. South China pressed strongly in the opening minutes and the defence sent into their own goal.

The Eastern took up the attack and a shot by Dallas found the net. Crossing over equal, the Eastern pressed but failed to add to their half-time score.

Club de Recreo Res. v. Queen's Res.

Played at King's Park and ended in a win for the Queen's by three clear goals. Harris opened the score for the Queen's and but for the home goalie the score would have much bigger.

Bunn converted a penalty early in the second half.

The Queen's kept up a heavy bombardment of the Recreo goal, but goalkeepers did Bettraco concede a goal, Evans scoring from close range.

R.A. Res. v. R.A.F.

Played at Stockupoo, the Gunners going down heavily by seven goals to six. Gallacher and Steele scored for the Queen's and but for the home goalie the score would have much bigger.

Bunn converted a penalty early in the second half.

The Queen's kept up a heavy bombardment of the Recreo goal, but goalkeepers did Bettraco concede a goal, Evans scoring from close range.

Kowloon Res. v. R.A.M.C.

The R.A.M.C. sent over a team to engage Kowloon in a friendly on the Railway ground, the result being a win for the home team by three clear goals.

Sutherland, Davis and Easterbrook scored the goals.

## HOME FOOTBALL RESULTS.

## NEW LEADERS IN THE FIRST DIVISION.

"OFF DAY" FOR LOWER DIVISION VISITORS.

## RANGERS FORGING AHEAD.

All the matches arranged in the Home football programme were played off on Saturday. A feature of the play was the upset of form of visiting teams in the Second Division who were obliged to give away the points in nine matches and just managed to share the points in two games. Northern section visitors did a little better, playing four drawn matches and losing the rest.

Blackburn's reign at the head of affairs in the First Division ended with their defeat at the hands of Sheffield United. Derby County and Leeds United now gain precedence. Everton and Huddersfield both lost again, the latter falling to the lowly Newcastle without seeing much of the net. Previous week's successes of Sheffield Wednesday and Manchester United were not maintained and they each lost a point. Arsenal again drew, this time with Cardiff.

Nottingham and Hull City who are at the top of the Second Division both gained comfortable victories at home. Chelsea were surprised by the Wolves in a division of the spoils. Bradford, who gained a smashing victory over Preston North End the previous week, were ousted by Middlesbrough. Preston on the other hand had things their own way with Grimsby. Southampton gained the best aggregate of the day with a 2-3 win over Blackpool, and they go a step higher.

In the Southern section Luton, Plymouth and Queen's Park all won their matches and retain the same order as the previous week. There was only one drawn game here, the match between Fulham and Exeter proving a goalless one. Swindon stood up bravely to Northampton and lost by the only goal of the match. Crystal Palace gave away many goals again in their meeting with Coventry.

An interesting match in the Northern section was the meeting of the leaders and their rivals, Wrexham and Lincoln. The result was a flustering one—a draw with a goal going each way. Three other visiting teams, New Brighton, Doncaster, and South Shields, had to divide the points. Lincoln drop from second to fourth place, Bradford City and Carlisle moving up on comfortable victories at home. Stockport gained a handsome win over Rochdale. Southport had the tables turned this week by Tranmere, ever and beat the Hibernians by Tranmere.

In the Scottish League the Rangers are going as strong as ever and beat the Hibernians by an odd goal. With an unbeaten record in eleven games (they dropped one point in a draw) last season's champions are gradually leaving their competitors behind. Their close rivals Motherwell were beaten this time by Kilmarnock, while Aberdeen and Ayr United played a draw in which six goals were scored.

Full results with summaries of scores and League tables are appended.

(THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.)

## ENGLISH LEAGUE.

## Division I.

Aston Villa v. Derby 2.	2
Burnley v. Everton 0.	0
Bury 1, Sunderland 3.	3
Cardiff 1, Arsenal 1.	1
Leeds, U. 3, Portsmouth 2.	2
Leicester 1, Wednesday 2.	2
Liverpool 1, Birmingham 2.	2
Manchester U. 1, Bolton 1.	1
Newcastle 4, Huddersfield 1.	1
Sheffield U. 1, Blackburn 1.	1
West Ham 5, Manchester C. 0.	0

Home wins 5, away wins 3, drawn 3.

Goals scored: Home 21, away 15.

## Division II.

Hull 4, West Brom 1.	1
Middlesbrough 5, Bradford 2.	2
Millwall 3, Bristol C. 1.	1
Nottingham 4, Barnsley 1.	1
Oldham 3, Swansea 1.	1
Port Vale 4, Nottm. F. 2.	2
Preston N.E. 5, Grimsby 2.	2
Reading 1, Stoke 1.	1
Southampton 8, Blackpool 2.	2
Tottenham 2, Clapton 1.	1
Wolves 1, Chelsea 1.	1

Home wins 9, away wins 0, drawn 1.

Goals scored: Home 39, away 16.

## Division III (Southern).

Bristol R. 3, Merthyr 0.	0
Crystal Pal. 0, Coventry 3.	3
Fulham 0, Exeter 0.	0
Gillingham 4, Norwich 0.	0
Newport 1, Luton 2.	2
Plymouth 1, Brighton 0.	0
Queen's P.R. 3, Southend 1.	1
Swindon 0, Northampton 1.	1
Torquay 3, Charlton 1.	1
Walsall 5, Brentford 0.	0
Watford 0, Bournemouth 3.	3

Home wins 9, away wins 4, drawn 1.

Goals scored: Home 17, away 11.

## Division III (Northern).

Accrington 1, Barrow 0.	0
Bradford C. 3, Chesterfield 1.	1
Carlisle 6, Ashington 0.	0
Crawley 2, Darlington 0.	0
Halifax 1, New Brighton 1.	1
Hartlepool 2, Doncaster 2.	2
Lincoln 1, Wrexham 1.	1
Rotherham 1, South Shields 1.	1
Stockport 4, Rochdale 0.	0
Tranmere 3, Southport 1.	1
Wigan 1, Nelson 0.	0

Home wins 7, away wins 0, drawn 4.

Goals scored: Home 30, away 8.

## SCOTTISH LEAGUE.

## Division I.

Airdrie 1, Dundee 1.	1
Ayr 3, Aberdeen 3.	3
Celtic 2, Raith 1.	1
Cowdenbeath 3, Falkirk 1.	1
Hibernians 1, Rangers 2.	2
Motherwell 2, Kilmarnock 3.	3
Partick 2, Queen's Park 2.	2
St. Johnstone 0, Hearts 3.	3
St. Mirren 1, Hamilton 3.	3
Third Lanark 2, Clyde 4.	4

Home wins 2, away wins 5, drawn 3.

Goals scored: Home 18, away 23.

## LEAGUE TABLES.

The English League Tables and Scottish League Tables (Division I.), up to and including matches completed on Saturday, are appended:

## ENGLISH LEAGUE.

## Division I.

P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Pts.
Derby	13	8	2	3	15	18
Leeds	12	8	2	2	22	18
Blackburn	14	6	2	4	23	18
Wednesday	13	7	2	2	20	17
Leicester	13	6	4	3	22	15

## Division II.

P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Pts.
Hull	14	6	3	5	30	17
Burnley	14	6	3	5	33	17
Sunderland	13	7	0	6	32	17
Manch. U. 12	4	8	2	32	17	
Everton	13	6	1	6	32	17
Manch. City	13	4	3	5	29	17
Liverpool	13	4	3	6	27	17
Aston Villa	12	3	2	7	26	12
Birmingham	13	3	4	6	25	12
Portsmouth	13	0	7	30	12	
Bolton	13	4	3	6	25	11
Cardiff	13	4	2	7	26	10
Huddersfield	13	4	2	7	24	10
Arsenal	13	3	4	6	20	10
Sheffield U. 13	3	0	8	19	10	
Newcastle	14	4	2	8	17	10
Bury	12	3	0	9	12	9

## Division III.

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## LAWN BOWLS.

## FERGUSON WINS THE OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP.

## SPEY CUP GOES TO CIVIL SERVICE.

In the finals of the two chief events in the lawn bowls activities during the season outside the League—the Open Singles championship and the Spey Royal Cup competition—J. Ferguson, of Talke Recreation Club, had rather an easy victory in the final of the championship of the Colony, while the Civil Service Cricket Club had to fight all the way to take the Spey Cup away with them.

The finals were played on Saturday on the new links of the Kowloon Bowling Green Club in the presence of a large number of spectators and the weather was ideal. During the matches a collection was taken in aid of St. Dunstan's Home, the response to this worthy cause being very satisfactory.

## Open Singles Championship.

The veteran Talke player, J. Ferguson, and A. R. Clark, of the Police Recreation Club, were the contenders for the championship. Both have taken part in the competition in past years, but had not got as far as the final. In 1920 Clark secured fourth place. The following year Ferguson annexed the third prize.

In the match yesterday, Clark gained the first break with a single. Ferguson got the next two with couples, giving away two in the fourth end to make the score 4-3 in his favour. Thereafter the veteran ran away with the game, the score being 18-3 in his favour at the thirteenth end. He needed three more shots to make up the necessary 21, but Clark improved his total by gaining another six shots before Ferguson ran out the winner. Ferguson's scores were made up of a four, a three, four two's, and six one's. Clark's scores were a two and the remaining singles. The final scores were Ferguson 21, Clark 11, the game going as far as 22 heads.

Ferguson appeared to have taken the measure of his opponent and mastered the ground early in the game. Although it looked as if it was going to be a runaway win for the veteran, Clark deserved credit for his perseverance in the later stages when he appeared to have been out-played by a cleverer player.



## LOCAL CRICKET.

## HONG KONG C.C. v. THE ARMY.

Playing on their own ground the Hong Kong Cricket Club defeated the Army by 11 runs. The home team batted first and made 143 runs. A. W. Hayward (31) and G. P. Lammett (50) being highest scorers. Christian, for the Army, took 5 wickets for 24 runs. The Army could only reply with 132 runs, of which Lee-Corpl. Miles made 38. R. Bonnar took 5 wickets for 24 runs.

## Scores:—

## Hong Kong C.C.

A. W. Hayward, c Fogden, b Christian	31
O. Moor, c Christian, b Wyatt	3
H. L. F. Ewin, c Wyatt, b Christian	3
Rev. E. K. Quick, c Miles, b Musson	2
H. Owen Hughes, b Wyatt	0
G. P. Lammett, not out	50
E. J. R. Mitchell, st. Fogden, b Christian	0
J. Bonnar, c Miles, b Christian	0
Extras	18
Total	143

## Bowling Analysis.

Dobbie	6	0	21	1
Christian	11	3	22	5
Wyatt	13	3	36	3
Thorp	5	1	11	0
Musson	3	1	5	1
Skinner	2	0	15	0
Miles	4	1	15	0

## Army.

Capt. N. A. Thorp, c and b Bonnar	2
Capt. A. N. Evers, b Bonnar	21
Lieut. C. E. C. Burton, b Wales	2
Lieut. A. H. Musson, c Owen Hughes, b Bonnar	0
Col. R. B. Skinner, b Bonnar	9
Capt. A. G. Dobbie, b Parker	23
Sgt. Leach, c Owen Hughes, b Bonnar	1
Lt.-Corpl. Miles, c Hayward, b Owen Hughes	38
Lieut.-Col. F. C. Wyatt, b W. F. Christian	19
Lieut.-Col. W. F. Christian, c and b Owen Hughes	0
Mr.-Gen. Fogden, not out	0
Extras	18
Total	132

## Bowling Analysis.

Bonnar	10	1	24	5
Wales	8	0	22	2
Parker	6	0	38	1
Reid	3	0	19	0
Owen Hughes	2	0	13	2

## KOWLOON C.C. v. ROYAL NAVY.

In a match on their own ground the Kowloon Cricket Club played a drawn game with the Royal Navy. The Navy batted first and declared at 168 runs for 9 wickets. Capt. H. W. Weir (30) and Lieut. Comdr. Abelson (28) were the best contributors for their side. Goodwin took 5 wickets for 30 runs.

Brace made 61 out of the total of 148 runs for 9 wickets (declared). Goodwin also scored 38 runs. Large, for the Navy, took 7 wickets for 58 runs.

## Scores:—

## Royal Navy.

Capt. H. W. Weir, l.b.w., b Goodwin	30
Lieut.-Comdr. C. E. Abelson, c Brace, b Goodwin	28
Mrs. F. Truist, c Brace, b Hirst	7
Lieut. A. E. Phillips, b Goodwin	7
Capt. Cornish, not out	19
Lieut.-Comdr. F. S. W. de Winton, l.b.w., b Goodwin	2
Lieut.-Comdr. D. N. C. Tufnell, c Brace, b Goodwin	2
Lieut. Cambridge, c Hall, b Hirst	3
E.R.A. Hill, c Hirst, b Lee	23
Lieut. J. H. Malcom, c Jex, b Lee	7
Extras	28
Total (for 9 wickets, dec.)	158

## Bowling Analysis.

Brace	5	0	18	0
Ross	6	0	28	0
Goodwin	7	0	30	5
Hirst	6	1	12	2
Overy	3	0	32	0
Lee	3	0	10	2

## Kowloon C.C.

W. Brace, b Hill	63
E. C. Fincher, c Abelson, b Large	0
G. A. V. Hall, b Large	5
F. S. W. Smith, c de Winton, b Large	8
Capt. J. R. Velder, b Large	0
F. Goodwin, b Large	38
S. Jex, c Truist, b Large	0
G. Lee, c Phillips, b Large	4
N. H. Ross, b Hill	0
J. Hirst, not out	12
Extras	15
Total (for 9 wickets)	149

## Bowling Analysis.

Large	10	5	58	7
Truist	8	0	30	0
Hill	11	1	38	2

## LEAGUE II.

## I.R.C. 2nd v. C.C.C. 2nd.

The Indian R.C. played the C.C.C. 2nd XI and defeated them by 75 runs. Batting first the home team declared at 168 runs for 9 wickets, but the C.C.C. team could only reply with 91 runs.

## Scores:—

## Indian R.C. 2nd XI.

M. P. Madar, l.b.w., b Way	0
A. Butt, c Soares, b Way	2
J. S. Ackber, c White, b Fritz	13
N. B. Kitchell, c and b Fritz	5
A. S. Suffad, c Way, b Razack	34
R. Nazarin, run out	31
A. R. Suffad, b Razack	5
D. Mohamed, c Lai, b Sourbutts	20
A. M. Rumjahn, not out	27
Sirdar Khan, c Soares, b Way	8
J. M. A. Rumjahn, not out	18
Extras	6
Total (for 9 wickets, dec.)	168

## Bowling Analysis.

Way	0	0	33	3
Fritz	12	3	24	2
Sourbutts	9	0	34	1
Razack	5	0	39	2
Y. Abbas	4	1	24	0

## C.C.C. 2nd XI.

E. Hamson, run out	0
D. Fritz, c and b A. S. Suffad	8
R. Sourbutts, c Ackber, b J. M. A. Rumjahn	14
Y. Abbas, c Kitchell, b A. S. Suffad	0
E. Mow Fung, c and b A. S. Suffad	19
D. M. A. Razack, c Madar, b W. Way	11
G. Lai, b J. M. A. Rumjahn	12
J. Leonard, c Kitchell, b J. M. A. Rumjahn	0
G. White, not out	13
J. R. Soares, c Sirdar Khan, b J. M. A. Rumjahn	0
Extras	18
Total	91

## Bowling Analysis.

A. S. Suffad	19	1	39	2
J. M. A. Rumjahn	8.3	4	13	3
A. M. Rumjahn	3	1	10	2
Madar	2	0	6	0
Sirdar Khan	1	0	8	0

## CLUB DE RECREO v. NAVY 2nd XI.

Crossing to Kowloon, the Royal Navy 2nd XI defeated the Club de Recreo by 100 runs. The visitors batted first and put up a useful score of 163 runs. Lieut. Ashby batting well for 59 runs. The Recreo team made little progress against the Navy bowling and the side was dismissed for 63 runs.

## Scores:—

## Royal Navy 2nd XI.

Lieut. H. Walker, c Guterres, b Alves	0
Stokes, Swann, l.b.w., b P.O. Timothy, c Carvalho, b Alves	1
Lieut. Tate, c H. M. Xavier, b Alves	32
Lieut. A. J. W. Ashby, b Pinna	59
Lieut. Nowell, st. Guterres, b Alves	2
Phy-Lieut. Waters, c Barros, b Alves	10
C. W. Gregory, run out	1
Lt.-Comdr. Poland, c Pinna, b Alves	41
A.B. Rumsby, b Alves	1
Lieut. K. S. Colquhoun, not out	3
Extras	12
Total	163

## Bowling Analysis.

D. P. Xavier	8	1	45	0
Alves	12	0	51	8
Sousa	7	1	31	0
Pinna	7	1	27	1

## Club de Recreo.

Lt. J. Guterres, b Timothy	7
H. A. Barros, b Gregory	0
H. M. Xavier, c Poland, b Gregory	0
F. J. Remedios, c Tate, b Timothy	1
D. P. Xavier, c Ashby, b Timothy	2
H. Alves, c Poland, b Rumsby	27
F. H. Carvalho, b Timothy	8
M. F. Pinna, c Waters, b Tate	1
D. F. Lopes, b Waters	5
J. A. Noronha, not out	0
C. M. Sousa, b Waters	1
Extras	10
Total	63

## Bowling Analysis.

Gregory	7	0	17	2
Timothy	8	0	22	4
Tate	4	1	4	1
Waters	4.5	0	9	2
Rumsby	1	0	1	1

## POLICE v. R.A.O.C.

The Police R.C. played the Royal Army Ordnance Corps on their own ground and defeated them by two wickets. The visitors made 81 runs, to which the Police replied with 84 runs for 9 wickets.

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## WELTERWEIGHT CHAMPIONSHIP OF THE COLONY.

## MORRIS KNOCKS OUT FRASER IN BIG FIGHT.

## SHONS DISAPPOINTS HIS SUPPORTERS.

## HARRY MAJOR AGAIN TO THE FRONT.

(By BANTAM.)

The first boxing tournament of the season held under the auspices of the Hong Kong Boxing Association on Saturday night at the Theatre Royal was a very real success. There was plenty of clean hard fighting, and some very good exhibitions of clever boxing.

The only knock-out was administered by Sig. Morris to Marine Fraser in the tenth round of the big fight of the evening. The fight was to go fifteen rounds, but as I had predicted, Fraser was no match for Morris. He is now the double champion—Middleweight and Welterweight—of the Colony.

Harry Major's return to the ring was a success. He beat Vahey and his form appeared to be better than ever.

Shons, who is a very plucky fighter, sadly disappointed his supporters. He lost to Castle and for that he had no one but himself to blame. Castle cannot be said to be a better man than Shons, but the latter was over-confident. He did very little fighting and only towards the end, when he realised that he was hopelessly in arrears and tried to catch up on points, but it was too late.

## THE CHAMPIONSHIP FIGHT.

## MORRIS KNOCKS OUT FRASER.

In the fight for the welter-weight championship of the Colony, Marine Fraser of H.M.S. Tamer, scaling at 145 lbs., met Signalmann Morris of H.M.S. Magnolia, also of the same weight in the big fight of the evening.

This bout was scheduled for 15 rounds, but Morris disposed of his opponent in the tenth round. Fraser at no stage of the fight looked like winning and was outclassed from start to finish.

Then was not much fighting in the first round and in the second. Fraser was forcing the fight and had Morris against the ropes and scoring with two heavy upward swings. The round ended with Fraser slightly in the lead.

In the third round, Fraser was again on the aggressive, but Morris put up a splendid defence and returned to his seat with the round in his favour.

Breaking out in the next round Morris got home a stinging right jab and several body punches. Fraser made a plucky effort in the fifth round and attacked Morris from all angles getting home two punches to the jaw with his right. Morris countered with a sledge hammer body blow. The marine had the best of some in fighting in the sixth round but towards the end Morris was scoring with blows that found his opponent's face.

From the seventh round to the end Fraser had a very rough passage, the Signalmann obviously doing his best to finish off the fight. The Marine fought pluckily and good home twice on Morris's ear in the seventh, but immediately afterwards Morris sent him down for a count of three. Fraser, after a spurt at the beginning, went down again in the ninth round and managed to keep Morris off till the going sounded. The inevitable end came with a heavy downward punch on Fraser's neck, which sent him to the boards for a full count.

In disposing of Fraser, Morris won the welter-weight championship of the Colony. He is now a double champion, for he won the middle-weight championship last year. Mr. R. M. Dyer presented the belt to the winner amid much applause.

## The Curtain Raiser.

Harry Major, of Hong Kong, scaling 118 lbs., and A. B. Vahey of H.M.S. Scaph, 114 lbs., opened the programme. Both men gave a splendid account of themselves, fighting hard and with full determination to win.

## Scores:—

## R.A.O.C.

Lt.-Cpl. Burger, b Alexander	11
Lt.-Sgt. Sharpe, b Lacey	7
Lt.-Cpl. Morgan, b Alexander	22
Sgt. Greenaway, c and b Alexander	3
Pte. Corbett, c Lacey, b Alexander	0
Cpl. Donaldson, c B. G. Baker, b Alexander	6
Q.M.S. Macock, b Lacey	2
Pte. Brooks, run out	2
Pte. Bryant, run out	11
Pte. Gordon, c and b Lacey	3
Pte. Page, not out	9
Extras	4
Total	81

## Bowling Analysis.

Lacey	14	0	43	3
Alexander	13	4	41	6

## Police R.C.

Hunter, b Corbett	23
B. G. Baker, b Morgan	27
Lacey, b Morgan	0
Alexander, b Morgan	7
Dyer, c Morgan, b Corbett	8
Randall, c Burger, b Morgan	0

It was indeed a pleasure to see Harry Major back in the ring. He is a sporting pugilist and deserved the victory he gained over Vahey. The latter fought well but he lacked science.

## Castle v. Shons.

Sig. Shons, 138 lbs., of H.M.S. Scaph disappointed his supporters by losing to A. B. Castle of H.M.S. Cumberland, 133 lbs., in a ten round feather-weight contest. Shons was obviously over confident.

In the opening round Castle scored heavily with both hands, to the face and body. In the second round Shons was still taking things easily. The third round saw Castle again doing all the attacking with Shons a passive respondent.

The same state of affairs was repeated in the fourth round, but the fifth was a thrilling one, both lads fighting hard. There were several rapid exchanges, in which Castle had the best of it. In the eighth round Castle sent Shon to the floor and administered more punishment when the latter got up. They fought themselves to a standstill in the last round and the verdict was in favour of Castle.

## Moore v. Saunders.

Another Ten Round Contest in the Welterweight Class was between A.B. Moore of H.M.S. Cumberland, 142 lbs., and A. B. Saunders, of H.M.S. Scaph, 143 lbs.

Saunders won the first round easily and although Moore had the advantage in weight and reach he could not keep his aggressive opponent at bay.

The second round was quiet but in the third, Saunders renewed his attack and scored heavily though toward the end, Moore retaliated with three successive straight jabs. The following two rounds saw both fighters giving a pretty exhibition of ring-craft. Saunders again out-boxed Moore in the seventh, but Moore came back with his second wind in the eighth round and did his share of the attacking. There was some was some nice fighting seen in the ninth round, but Saunders had everything his own way in the last round and was given the verdict at the conclusion of the fight.

## Two Novices Fight.

The last bout of the evening was not very serious from a boxing point of view. The two protagonists knew nothing of the science of ring-craft. They were Piper Smith of the R.O.S.B., 124 lbs., and A. B. Tremming of H.M.S. Hermes, 143 lbs. They fought six rounds and went at each other hammer and tongs. It was just a good hard scrap by two plucky beginners and the umpire decided it was a draw.

## Scores:—

## R.A.O.C.

Noonan, l.b.w., b Corbett	5
A. V. Baker, c Brooks, b Morgan	10
Kinnear, not out	1
Kirby, b Corbett	0
Extras	5
Total (for 9 wickets)	36

## Bowling Analysis.

Morgan	9	1	39	6
Corbett	12.3	3	27	4
Burger	5	3	15	0

## FRIENDLY MATCHES.

C.C.C. v. Indian R.C.—At Happy Valley. Result: Draw. Indian R.C. 160 for 9 wickets, 144 (A. B. Minn 37). C.C.C. 160 for 9 wickets (A. Kitchell 35, A. B. Hamson 25, H. Lim 22).

U.R.C. v. Civil Service C.C.—At Causeway Bay. Result: Civil Service C.C. won by 61 runs.

Civil Service 181 runs (J. Bartow 30, G. H. Beyer 30, and J. Baker 22 runs). Sling took 4 wickets for 21 runs.

Chinese R.C. 80 runs (H. W. Bling 31). D. Kelly took 4 wickets for 45 runs.

H.K.C.C. 2nd XI v. Electric R.C.—At King's Park. Result: H.K.C.C. won by 5 wickets.

Electric R.C. total 77 runs (A. F. Paul 18 not out). Valtack 5 wickets for 34 runs, Stahion 3 for 13 runs.

H.K.C.C. 2nd XI 134 for 6 wickets (R. H. Dowler 41; H. R.

Remington 32). Banks 3 wickets for 39 runs.

UNIVERSITY 2nd XI v. R.E. and Signals.—At Pokfulam. Result: University won by 38 runs.

University total 155 runs (A. Baker 55 retired; K. P. Gan 21). Hamson 3 wickets for 37 runs.

R.E. and Signals total 119 runs (Waters 39 runs and Mitchell 26). Baker took 4 wickets for 41 runs.

Trayer 3 wickets for 19 runs.

Civil Service C.C. 2nd XI v. R.A.S.C.—At Happy Valley. Result: Civil Service won by 8 wickets.

R.A.S.C. 136 runs for 8 wickets, dec. (Q.M.S. Glenn 62). Eldridge 3 wickets for 38 runs.

Civil Service 164 runs for 4 wickets declared (B. B. Davies 3 runs; F. H. Harper 45, and J. Wellmott 28). Lyons took 3 wickets for 33 runs.



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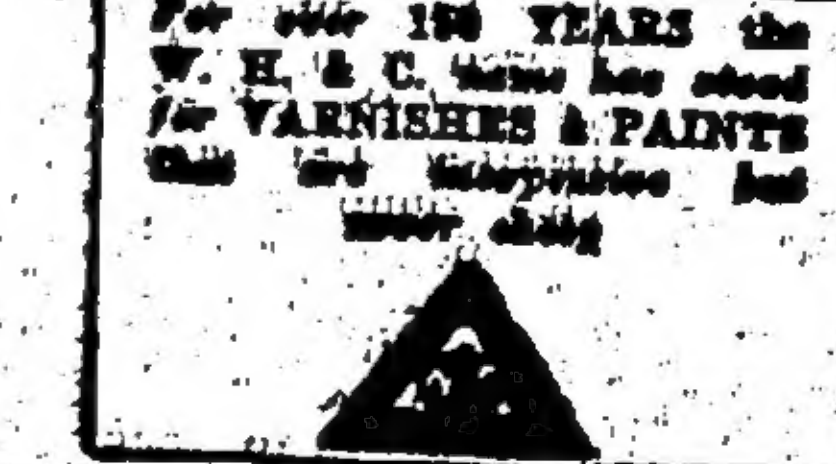
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## SUN-RAYS AND HISTORY.

## MOSCOW PROFESSOR'S SPECULATIONS.

## MAXIMUM ACTIVITY CAUSES REVOLUTION?

Officially present-day Russia recognises no interpretation of human activities that does not coincide with the economic theories of Karl Marx. However, a Russian scientific investigator, Professor Chizhevsky, has been pursuing a line of thought that tends to explain human conduct in terms of natural rather than economic causes. The sunspot, in Chizhevsky's scheme of things, replaces the theory of surplus value, as an outstanding factor in historical development, and such phenomena as wars, revolutions, and even plagues and pestilences are attributed by the Russian professor to the periodic heightened effectiveness of the sun's rays.

Chizhevsky, who has expounded his viewpoint in an abstruse tome entitled "Physical Processes of the Historic Process," attempts to explain history, astronomy, physics, biology, and other sciences in behalf of his theory that human passions are wildest and most uncontrolled when the sun's rays are hottest. After studying the history of eighty States and peoples over a period of 2,400 years, he arrived at the statistical conclusion that 60 per cent. of the events and periods of greatest significance fall within the recurrent three-year periods of maximum sun-ray activity, while only 3 per cent. take place within the equally recurrent periods of minimum activity. The remaining 35 per cent. fall within the two and three year periods of increasing and declining activity.

## Some Illustrations.

Such statistical computations are obviously open to the charge of arbitrary selection, but Professor Chizhevsky supports his thesis with various concrete illustrations. He declares that the following dates of crusades: 1096-98, 1147, 1157, 1202-04, 1212, 1224, and 1454 coincide with the strongest maximum activity of sun-ray activity. St. Bartholomew's Day in 1572 also corresponds with a period of maximum activity of the sun-rays, and Professor Chizhevsky offers as further astronomical-historical coincidences the following tables of comparative dates:

Dates of maximum sun-ray activity.	Important events.
1649.....	British Revolution (1649).
1793.....	French Revolution (1793).
1870.....	Paris Commune (1871).
1903.....	1st Russian Revolution (1905).
1917.....	2nd Russian Revolution (1917).

As years of minimum sun-ray activity during the last century Chizhevsky lists 1810, 1823, 1833, 1843, 1858, 1867, 1878, and 1889, and deems any historian to point out an event of striking importance which developed within these lean and languid years. His investigations also led him to the conclusion that epidemics of cholera in Russia during the nineteenth century closely conformed to the heightened curve of sun-ray activity.

The gist of Chizhevsky's theory is that the electrical energy generated by the sun operates with powerful effect on the physical and nervous systems of human beings, thereby increasing the likelihood of fatal results in physical maladies and also stimulating such explosions of mass excitement as war and revolution. Besides making out a number of elaborate historical-astronomical comparative tables, he has attempted to strengthen his case by undertaking laboratory experiments which tend to prove that dogs are very sensitive to the introduction of electricity into the atmosphere.

## GREAT SURGEON'S ROMANCE.

## WEDDING TO A NURSE AT HAMPTON COURT.

The romance of the most brilliant surgeon on the staff of a leading London hospital and a hospital nurse, which began when the nurse was in her first years of training, will culminate to-day at the Chapel Royal, Hampton Court Palace, when Dr. Philip Mitchell marries Miss Philpott, says a copy to hand of a Home paper of October 6th.

Dr. Mitchell, who holds one of the most remarkable records in the medical "Who's Who," is operating surgeon at St. Thomas' Hospital. He has been surgeon to the Serbian royal family, and was formerly surgeon to the Serbian Government.

The letters F.Z.S. (Fellow of the Zoological Society) after the name of Dr. Mitchell, who is a tall, dark man with a powerful face, indicate one of his affections. He is tremendously fond of animals. He has occasionally used his great talents to operate on injured beasts, assisting a Zoo official who is a personal friend. One of these operations was successfully performed on a crocodile's jaw.

Miss Philpott, after she left St. Thomas' Hospital, went to University College Hospital, where she worked for some time. Now she has decided to abandon her profession.

## ON COASTAL SERVICE.

## LATEST CHANGES IN PERSONNEL.

Captain J. W. Tinson, of the *Sinkiang*, is on Home leave.

Captain C. Mather, from reserve, has gone master, *Sinkiang*.

Captain A. C. Thomson, of the *Shanghai*, has gone master, *Kiating*.

Captain A. Cook, of the *Yan-ning*, has gone master, *Shanghai*.

Captain J. S. de Wolf, from reserve, has gone master, *Yan-ning*.

Mr. J. H. Davey, second officer, *Hsin Peking*, has resigned.

Mr. J. W. Dickinson, from reserve, has gone chief officer, *Kan-chow*.

Mr. B. Steffenson, from reserve, has gone extra second officer, *Hsin Peking*.

Mr. A. M. Duchapan, second officer, *Tungchow*, has gone second officer, *Hsin Peking*.

Mr. G. R. Torrible, extra second officer, *Hsin Peking*, has gone second officer, *Tungchow*.

Mr. E. H. Mutton, chief officer, *Shanghai*, is on reserve.

Mr. A. Oliver, chief officer, *Kan-chow*, has gone chief officer, *Shanghai*.

Mr. S. E. Ries, from reserve, has gone second officer, *Luchow*.

Mr. J. C. Bartley, second officer, *Kiangsu*, has gone second officer, *Kiangsu*.

Mr. E. Michelmores, second officer, *Kiangsu*, is on reserve.

Mr. B. A. Marrahe, extra chief officer, *Kiangsu*, has gone chief officer, *Kiangsu*.

Captain T. Johnstone, of the *Jinking*, has gone master *Kalgan*.

Captain R. Ritchie, of the *Kiangsu*, has gone master, *Jinking*.

Captain R. T. Stephens, from Home leave, has gone master, *Kiangsu*.

Mr. J. H. McLaren, second officer, *Antung*, has gone acting chief officer, *Chienkung*.

Mr. L. G. Potter, second officer, *Kiangsu*, has resigned.

Mr. E. S. Cundell, second officer, *Luchow*, has gone second officer, *Jinking*.

Mr. F. J. Griffiths, from Home leave, has gone chief officer, *Kiangsu*.

Mr. J. R. Nisbet, chief officer, *Kiangsu*, is on reserve.

Mr. F. E. B. Steer, second officer, *C. C.*, has resigned.

Mr. E. J. Toney, second engineer officer, *Shanghai*, has gone second engineer officer, *Kiangsu*.

Mr. J. McAulay, second engineer officer, *Kiangsu*, has gone second engineer officer, *Shanghai*.

Mr. R. Trathen, from Home, has gone extra third engineer officer, *Kiangsu*.

Mr. P. H. Todd, from reserve, has gone second engineer officer, *Kan-chow*.

Mr. R. D. Gall, second engineer officer, *Kiangsu*, has gone acting chief engineer officer, *Kiangsu*.

Mr. W. Niblock, chief engineer officer, *Kiangsu*, has gone chief engineer officer, *Kiangsu*.

Mr. H. R. Stewart, extra third engineer officer, *Kiangsu*, has gone extra third engineer officer, *Kiangsu*.

Mr. C. Maberly, third engineer officer, *Wenchow*, has gone third engineer officer, *Chenan*.

Mr. J. Jamieson, third engineer officer, *Chenan*, has resigned.

Mr. W. Curran, second engineer officer, *Chenan*, has gone second engineer officer, *Ningpo*.

Mr. W. Paxton, second engineer officer, *Ningpo*, has gone second engineer officer, *Chenan*.

Mr. J. Burton, from shore employment, has gone acting third engineer officer, *Shanghai*.

Mr. A. MacDonald, from Home, has gone acting third engineer officer, *Nankin*.

Mr. A. C. Morice, acting second engineer officer, *Luchow*, has gone extra second engineer officer, *Kiating*.

Mr. W. W. M. Chapman, extra second engineer officer, *Fengtien*, has gone second engineer officer, *Luchow*.

Mr. T. Hughes, from reserve, has gone chief officer, *Fooking*.

Mr. R. McAlpine, third officer, *Chienkung*, has gone third officer, *Ningpo*.

Mr. G. H. Knight, extra second officer, *Luenho*, has gone second officer, *Shanghai*.

Mr. E. H. Davies, second officer, *Shanghai*, is on reserve.

Mr. R. A. Bell-Syer, from reserve, has gone extra chief officer, *Fengtien*.

Mr. E. L. Starling, second officer, *Fuhao*, has gone acting chief officer, *Suifu*.

Mr. A. Sinclair, chief officer, *Suifu*, is on reserve.

Mr. J. McDonald, third engineer officer, *Tungang*, has gone third engineer officer, *Tungang*.

Mr. J. Fowles, third engineer officer, *Tungang*, has gone third engineer officer, *Tungang*.

Mr. F. Kerlake, from reserve, has gone second engineer officer, *Kan-chow*.

Mr. H. Turner, third engineer officer, *Kan-chow*, has gone to shore employment.

Mr. D. S. Holmes, from reserve, has gone chief engineer officer, *Pingpo*.

Mr. J. Moslem, third engineer officer, *Pingpo*, has gone to shore employment.

Captain J. W. McLeod, of the *Hsin Triangul*, is on reserve.

Captain A. R. Smith, from reserve, has gone master, *Hsin Triangul*.

—Shipping and Engineering.

## THE "PRESIDENT ADAMS."

## SIR AUSTEN CHAMBERLAIN AS PASSENGER.

When sailing from Balboa, Panama Canal zone on September 21st, the Dollar Round-the-World liner *President Adams*, Captain W. C. Morris (which has been in Hong Kong during the week-end) carried as passengers Sir Austen Chamberlain, Lady Chamberlain, and their two children. Sir Austen Chamberlain travelled from England to Balboa via Bermuda on the Royal Mail steamer *Oreana*, spending a few days at Balboa before joining the *President Adams*. The trip was passed very quietly. Sir Austen Chamberlain spending his time reading, and conversing with Captain Morris and passengers. Lady Chamberlain and the other members of their party took an active interest in deck sports and social activities aboard the liner. Sir Austen Chamberlain appeared much rested from his sea trip.

Upon arrival at Los Angeles, the *President Adams* was escorted by four United States destroyers into the harbour. While at Los Angeles, Sir Austen Chamberlain was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Fairbanks, who accompanied the party back to the ship just before sailing. Admiral William Brandt, Commander in Chief of the United States Pacific Fleet, and staff called on Sir Austen and Lady Chamberlain aboard the *President Adams* just before sailing. On sailing from Los Angeles, the liner pressed the U.S.S. *California*, a salute of nineteen guns was fired and an escort of four destroyers and nine airplanes accompanied the ship for two hours.

Upon arrival at San Francisco, Sir Austen and Lady Chamberlain were the guests of Mr. Templeton Crocker, the leading financier of San Francisco, spending two weeks at Mr. Crocker's home in Berkeley before continuing on their trip to England by way of Canada.

**A Junk In Distress.**

An interesting incident in the voyage of the *President Adams* was the sighting of a large Chinese junk approximately 120 miles from the Fairway Buoy at the mouth of the river. Attention was first attracted to the junk when it was noticed that the members of the crew were desperately waving signal flags and buckets indicating clearly their distress and need for fresh water. Captain Morris maneuvered the liner so as to approach the junk which came alongside. The crew consisted of eight members who reported they had been out of water for four days. Approximately a ton and a half of fresh water was delivered to the junk, the water being transferred by means of buckets. In reply to Captain Morris' offer to supply them with food, the master of the junk pointed to a supply of fish lying on the deck and to his fishing nets, indicating that they were well taken care of in that respect. After a delay of one-half hour, the s.s. *President Adams* resumed her journey to this port.

## SHIPPING MOVEMENTS.

The R.M.S. *Empress of Canada* left Vancouver for Hong Kong, via Japan ports and Shanghai, on November 1st, and is due here on November 19th. She will sail for Manila on November 20th at 3 p.m.

The R.M.S. *Empress of France* left Southampton on October 31st, and is due at Bombay on November 16th, and at Hong Kong on November 25th.

## HONG KONG METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER.

Hong Kong Observatory, Nov. 4th.			
Previous Day	at 2 p.m.	at 6 a.m.	at 10 p.m.
Barometer...	30.06	30.09	30.07
Temperature...	75	71	75
Humidity...	70	80	64
Wind...			
Direction...	E	ENE	E
Force...	4	0	3
Weather...	C	0	B
Rain...	0.00	0.04	0.03
Highest open-air Temperature...	77		
Lowest open-air Temperature...	4th: 71		

B=Blue sky; C=Cloudy; D=Drizzle; F=Fog; L=Lightning; M= Mist; O=Overcast; P=Passing showers; Q=Squalls; R=Rain; T=Thunder.

## HONG KONG TIDE TABLE.

From November 5th to 11th, 1928.					
HIGH WATER.			LOW WATER.		
Days of Week.	Date of Month.	Hong Kong Standard Time.	Height.	Hong Kong Standard Time.	Height.
Mon.	5	h. m. a. m. p. m.	h. m. a. m. p. m.		
		1.59	7.2	10.34	2.0
		Noisfer.	high	nor low	water
Tues.	6	h. m. a. m. p. m.	h. m. a. m. p. m.		
		3.38	6.7	11.33	2.1
		7.21	5.8		5.1
Wed.	7	h. m. a. m. p. m.	h. m. a. m. p. m.		
		5.5	6.8	11.3	2.1
		7.34	5.8		5.1
Thur.	8	h. m. a. m. p. m.	h. m. a. m. p. m.		
		6.40	6.4	10.34	2.4
		7.50	5.1	1.6	4.5
Fri.	9	h. m. a. m. p. m.	h. m. a. m. p. m.		
		7.38	6.3	1.23	3.8
		8.7	6.6	1.38	3.9
Sat.	10	h. m. a. m. p. m.	h. m. a. m. p. m.		
		8.23	5.1	2.9	3.7
		8.5	6.8	3.0	3.9
Sun.	11	h. m. a. m. p. m.	h. m. a. m. p. m.		
		9.15	5.9	2.48	3.7
		8.44	7.1	2.33	3.1







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EMPERESS OF ASIA	Nov. 7	Nov. 10	Nov. 13	Nov. 15	Nov. 24
EMPERESS OF FRANCE	Nov. 23	Dec. 1	Dec. 4	Dec. 6	Dec. 15
EMPERESS OF RUSSIA	Jan. 9	Jan. 12	Jan. 15	Jan. 17	Jan. 26
EMPERESS OF ASIA	Jan. 23	Jan. 26	Jan. 29	Jan. 31	Feb. 9
EMPERESS OF FRANCE	Feb. 13	Feb. 16	Feb. 19	Feb. 21	Feb. 29
EMPERESS OF RUSSIA	Mar. 6	Mar. 9	Mar. 12	Mar. 14	Mar. 23
EMPERESS OF ASIA	Mar. 20	Mar. 23	Mar. 26	Mar. 28	Mar. 36
EMPERESS OF FRANCE	Apr. 10	Apr. 13	Apr. 16	Apr. 18	Apr. 27
EMPERESS OF RUSSIA	May 1	May 4	May 7	May 9	May 18
EMPERESS OF ASIA	May 15	May 18	May 21	May 23	May 31
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TANGO MARU ... Wednesday, 19th Dec.

BOMBAY via Singapore, Penang & Colombo.  
TAMBA MARU ... Sunday, 11th Nov.

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+ MALACCA MARU ... Thursday, 8th Nov.  
+ PENANG MARU ... Monday, 19th Nov.

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## Shipping News

Week-End Statement, Waterfront  
News, Vessels Expected, etc.WEEK-END FREIGHT  
RETURNS.SATURDAY'S FREIGHTS  
VERY GOOD.BRITISH VESSELS  
PROMINENT.

The general cargo returns for the week-end showed very good figures for Saturday. Although slightly lower, the cargo totals for Sunday were also above average. Through freights were very high, and British vessels made heavy contributions.

Thirty-six arrivals and thirty-seven departures were shown of which nineteen arrivals and sixteen departures were British vessels.

## Saturday's Figures.

Eighteen arrivals and nineteen departures were shown for the period ending at 9 a.m. on Saturday, of which eleven arrivals and ten departures were British. Both local imports and through freights were very good, especially the latter.

The general merchandise discharged by thirteen vessels for this port amounted to 16,011 tons. Six British vessels contributed 5,683 tons. The two best returns were by the s.s. *Tjitaroen* (Dutch) from Batavia and Balikpapan with 2,612 tons, and the s.s. *Wing Hong* (British) from Hongkong with 1,827 tons of general cargo. Through freights amounted to 32,681 tons, and seven British ships carried 14,990 tons. The best carriers were British vessels. The s.s. *Deucalion* from Newport and Singapore had 4,360 tons.

## Yesterday's Statement.

Eighteen arrivals and eighteen departures were shown for the period ending at 9 a.m. yesterday, but the cargo returns were not as high as the previous day. However, the through freights remained very good. Eight British arrivals and six departures were shown, and the contributions to the returns were good.

Seventeen vessels discharged 12,967 tons of cargo for this port of which seven British ships contributed 6,447 tons. The s.s. *Kashmir* (British) was shown as best carrier with 3,140 tons from London and Singapore; while the s.s. *Tai Po* (Chinese) from Saigon discharged 2,200 tons of rice.

Through freights amounted to 21,230 tons, and six British ships carried 13,027 tons. Against a British vessel was best carrier. The s.s. *Cyclone* (British) from Newport and Suez carried 7,302 tons of general cargoes for other ports; while the s.s. *President Adams* (American) from San Francisco and Shanghai carried 5,192 tons.

## Week-End Figures.

The general merchandise discharged for this port during the week-end amounted to 28,875 tons. Of this 12,130 tons were discharged from British vessels. Through freights totalled 58,911 tons, and British vessels were responsible for 28,071 tons.

(Continued on next Column).

## VESSELS EXPECTED.

American Mail Line.  
*President McKinley*, 15-day.  
Australian-Oriental Line.  
*Taipei*, to-morrow.  
*Changte*, Dec. 7th.

Bank Line.  
*City of Perth*, Nov. 15th.  
*Swetic*, Nov. 28th.  
*City of Chester*, Nov. 30th.  
*City of Lahore*, Dec. 8th.  
*City of Bedford*, Dec. 24th.  
*City of Madras*, Dec. 25th.

Bon Line.  
*Benaroch*, to-day.

Blue Funnel Line.  
*Iron*, November 7th.  
*Victor*, November 8th.  
*Menelaus*, Nov. 13th.  
*Perseus*, Nov. 17th.  
*Purpur*, Nov. 17th.  
*Titan*, Nov. 20th.  
*Helios*, Nov. 24th.  
*Tyndareus*, Nov. 25th.  
*Aphalion*, Nov. 27th.  
*Antenor*, Nov. 28th.  
*Glaucoas*, Nov. 30th.  
*Telemachus*, Dec. 6th.  
*Philoctetes*, Dec. 8th.  
*Dioneda*, Dec. 11th.  
*Aeneas*, Dec. 17th.  
*Proteus*, Dec. 18th.  
*Thesus*, Dec. 28th.  
*Alexus*, Dec. 28th.  
*Achilles*, January 6th.  
*Ningehow*, January 6th.  
*Tatlybius*, January 8th.  
*Lycan*, January 10th.  
*Sarpedon*, January 10th.  
*Enaues*, January 11th.  
*Automedon*, January 18th.  
*Agaveus*, January 31st.  
*Dolus*, January 31st.  
*Colchus*, February 3rd.  
*Patroclus*, February 7th.  
*Phemius*, February 7th.  
*Autolytus*, February 8th.  
*Teucer*, February 9th.

British-India and Apcar Line.  
*Trevelard*, Nov. 12th.  
*Takada*, Nov. 17th.  
*Talamba*, Nov. 25th.  
*Tilawa*, Nov. 29th.  
*Takada*, Dec. 7th.  
*Talamba*, Dec. 16th.  
*Santia*, Dec. 25th.

Canadian Pacific Line.  
*Empress of Canada*, Nov. 19th.  
*Empress of France*, Nov. 25th.

Doddwell & Co.  
*Egulinio*, Nov. 8th.  
*Vernadale*, Nov. 13th.  
*Calvus*, Nov. 14th.  
*Romolo*, Dec. 6th.

Dollar S.S. Line.  
*President Taft*, to-day.

East Asiatic Co., Copenhagen.  
*Afrika*, Nov. 8th.  
*Siam*, Nov. 20th.  
*Malaya*, Dec. 4th.  
*Panama*, Dec. 15th.  
*Denmark*, Dec. 31st.  
*Java*, January 20th.  
*Australia*, February 11th.

Eastern and Australian Lines.  
*Tanda*, to-morrow.  
*St. Albans*, Dec. 3rd.  
*Arafura*, January 7th.

Arrivals and Departures.

The arrivals and departures during the week-end were as follows:

	Arr.	Dep.
British	19	18
American	3	3
French	1	4
Dutch	1	0
Japanese	3	5
Chinese	7	9
German	1	0
Norwegian	1	2
Swedish	1	0
Total	36	37

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"CITY OF MOBILE"	...	...	...	...	9th December
"CITY OF LAHORE"	...	...	...	...	9th January

\* Passenger Steamer—Fares to London—1st Class £20; 2nd Class £25.

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"KIDDERPORE"	13,334	13th Nov.	Strait, Bombay and Karachi.
"KHYBER"	9,114	24th Nov.	Marseilles, London and Hull.
"KARMALA"	9,128	1st Dec.	Marseilles and London.
"JEYPORE"	5,318	8th Dec. [Mar.]	Udon, Hull, A'werp, B'dam, H'burg.
"MALWA"	10,948	8th Dec.	Bombay, Marseilles and London.
"KASHMIR"	8,885	10th Dec.	Marseilles and London.
"NALDERA"	10,983	23rd Dec.	Bombay, Marseilles and London.
"MANTUA"	9,144	19th Jan. 1929	do
"KALYAN"	9,144	19th Jan. "	Marseilles and London.
"MOBEA"	10,953	2nd Feb. "	Bombay, Marseilles and London.
"KASHGAR"	9,006	10th Feb. "	Marseilles and London.
"MACDONIA"	11,130	2nd Mar. "	Marseilles and London.
"PADUA"	9,907	9th Mar. "	Mars., Udon, A'werp, B'dam, H'burg.
"KHIVA"	9,135	16th Mar. "	Marseilles and London.
"KABALA"	9,123	23rd Mar. "	do
"MALWA"	10,930	30th Mar. "	do
"NALDERA"	10,983	13th Apr. "	B'way, Mars., & London.
"KASHMIR"	8,885	30th Apr. "	Marseilles and London.
"MANTUA"	10,944	27th Apr. "	Bombay, Marseilles and London.
"KHYBER"	9,114	11th May "	Marseilles and London.
"MOBEA"	10,953	24th May "	Bombay, Marseilles and London.
"KALYAN"	9,144	8th June "	Marseilles and London.
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"TANDA"	6,958	30th Nov.	Marseilles and London.
"ST. ALBANS"	4,500	23rd Dec.	Island, Townsville, Brisbane
"ARAFURA"	6,000	1st Feb. 1929	Sydney and Melbourne.
"TANDA"	6,958	1st Mar. "	do

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	Tons	9th Nov.	Destination
"TANDA"	6,958	9th Nov.	Moji, Kobe, Osaka & Yokohama
"MALWA"	10,948	9th Nov.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama
"TREWELLARD"	10,948	14th Nov.	Moji, Kobe & Osaka
"TAKADA"	6,949	19th Nov.	Shanghai, Kobe & Osaka
"NALDERA"	10,983	23rd Nov.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama
"TALAMBA"	8,018	27th Nov.	Moji, Kobe, Osaka & Yokohama
"ST. ALBANS"	4,500	4th Dec.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama
"MANTUA"	10,944	7th Dec.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama
"TALAMBA"	10,000	9th Dec.	Moji, Kobe, Osaka & Yokohama
"TAKIWA"	7,935	18th Dec.	Moji, Kobe, Osaka & Yokohama
"KALYAN"	9,144	21st Dec.	Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama
"SANTIA"	7,754	27th Dec.	Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama
"MOBEA"	10,953	4th Jan. 1929	Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama
"ARAFURA"	6,000	5th Jan.	Shanghai, Kobe, Osaka & Yokohama
"KASHGAR"	9,006	18th Jan.	Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama
"PADUA"	9,907	18th Jan.	do
"MACDONIA"	11,130	1st Feb.	do
"TANDA"	6,958	5th Feb.	Moji, Kobe, Osaka & Yokohama
"KHIVA"	9,135	15th Feb.	Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama
"MALWA"	10,948	1st Mar.	Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama
"KARMALA"	9,128	8th Mar.	Shanghai
"NALDERA"	10,983	15th Mar.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama
"KASHMIR"	8,885	22nd Mar.	Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama
"MANTUA"	10,944	29th Mar.	Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama
"KHYBER"	9,114	12th Apr.	Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama
"MOBEA"	10,953	28th Apr.	Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama
"KALYAN"	9,144	10th May	Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama
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